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HIRSOVA RETAKEN BY FERDINAND'S TROOPS, BUCHAREST REPORTS

Town in Dobrudja Twenty-Five Miles North of Tchernavoda Re-occupied By Roumanians; Success Follows Appointment of Gen. Sakharoff to Command in Dobrudja; Admission By Berlin

Bucharest, Nov. 9.—The war office announced to-day that Roumanian troops had re-occupied the town of Hirsova, in Dobrudja, on the Danube, 25 miles north of Tchernavoda.

Berlin, Nov. 9.—An official report issued to-day states that in Dobrudja advanced forces of Field-Marshal von Mackensen's army retired.

Hirsova lies approximately midway between the northern and southern boundaries of the province of Dobrudja, being on the Danube, which forms the western boundary of the province.

When von Mackensen was making his northward thrust in Dobrudja the Russo-Roumanian forces, having retired beyond the Tchernavoda-Constanza railway line, continued to fall back until they took up positions along a line the west end of which was on high land north of Hirsova. From that vantage point the Roumanian forces now have succeeded in retaking Hirsova.

The success comes soon after the appointment of Lieut.-Gen. Sakharoff, one of the ablest of Russia's leaders, to the command of the Russo-Roumanian armies in Dobrudja.

LITTLE CHANGE IN AMERICAN POLICY

French Writers' Prediction; Paris Deeply Interested in Election in States

Paris, Nov. 9.—The American election has been followed with the deepest interest here, the news having the place of honor in most of the morning papers. The commentators, mindful of the dramatic surprise of yesterday, when the supposedly certain Hughes victory was turned into a possible defeat, avoided committing themselves.

MUNITIONS ORDERS TILL END OF JUNE

Enough to Keep Canadian Plants Going Until Then, Board States

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—According to a statement made by the Imperial Munitions Board, the Canadian manufacturing concerns which are at work on munitions will be kept busy on the basis of present orders on hand until June 30, 1917, and others on March 31, 1918, and others on March 31, 1919.

All the necessary raw materials to maintain the deliveries required have been contracted for well ahead and the board is in a good position in regard to the necessary supply of steel. No uneasiness is caused by the reported shortage in the States, because the board made large purchases of steel during the spring and summer months. The policy adopted some time ago whereby Canadian manufacturers would supply fuses, primers, brass discs, cartridge caps and other component parts of shells, is now well established and small quantities of these supplies are being received from the United States. In the future many of these parts will be secured exclusively in Canada.

The board states that the Canadian manufacturers are doing their best to carry out the manufacture of shells with the greatest possible expedition.

ELECTION IN STATES INTERESTS BRITISH

News and Comment Crowd War Into Second Place in Papers

IN STREETS AND HOTELS SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION

London, Nov. 9.—The American election occupied leading positions in both the news and editorial columns of the London papers this morning, and the war news found itself crowded into a secondary position for the first time since the outbreak of hostilities.

The papers devoted from one to five columns to "the American election puzzle," some of the editorials stretching into nearly two columns in an endeavor to explain the whys and wherefores of the dramatic finish of the campaign.

It is evident, as the morning papers point out, that this presidential contest has been followed with more interest in Great Britain than any since the republic was founded and that more than ever before the man in the street has made himself acquainted with the issues involved and with the personalities of the candidates.

The editorials generally emphasize, as they have repeatedly during the past two months, that the election, whatever its issue, is not likely to affect to any marked degree the foreign policy of the United States or its attitude towards the war.

NEW CONSUL-GENERAL OF JAPAN AT OTTAWA TO COME BY VICTORIA

Vancouver, Nov. 9.—Kobachi Abe, Japanese consul in Vancouver, has been advised officially that Yasutaro Numano has been appointed as the consul-general of Japan at Ottawa, to succeed Chonosuke Yada. Mr. Numano recently was the acting consul general of Japan at San Francisco.

282 OF PASSENGERS OF THE S. S. ARABIA HAVE BEEN LANDED

London, Nov. 9.—Of the 437 passengers on the P. & O. liner Arabia, which was sunk without warning in the Mediterranean by a submarine on Monday, 198 have been landed at Malta and 84 at Port Said. This was announced in an official statement given but here to-day, which adds although bad weather prevailed all the passengers and crew were transferred to the boats in 29 minutes.

GERMANS MAKING SLAVES OF MEN OF BELGIUM; PROTEST MADE BY BELGIAN GOVERNMENT TO CIVILIZED NATIONS

Practically All Able-Bodied Men Being Deported to Unknown Destinations to Free Germans for Army; Employed Taken as Well as Unemployed; Only Cripples Left, Says Belgian Foreign Minister

Havre, Nov. 9.—Announcement that the German government is rounding up and sending to unknown destinations practically all the able-bodied men in occupied Belgium is made by Baron Beyens, the Belgian foreign minister, in a statement issued by him to-day. Baron Beyens says:

"The German government is rounding up in large numbers in the towns and villages of occupied Belgium such as Alost, Bruges, Courtrai and Mons—to name only the first places to be made victims of the measure—all men fit to bear arms, rich and poor, irrespective of class and whether employed or unemployed. Hunchbacks, cripples and one-armed men are excepted. The men are being taken in thousands from their families (15,000 from Flanders alone) and are being sent God knows where. Whole trainloads have been seen going east and south."

"The German authorities seek to excuse these deportations by pretending that it is the duty of an occupying power to make, in accordance with the Hague convention, the necessary regulations to establish public order and public life. They affirm that the unemployed must not fall a charge upon public charities and that the work whereupon they are being employed has nothing to do with the war. Those who really are responsible for the stagnation and decay of industry in Belgium, workmen who prefer to live on charity rather than on the proceeds of their labor, and Britain, which prohibited the importation of raw materials into Belgium."

"Is it necessary to answer that there would be no lack of work in Belgium if the Germans had not made a clean sweep of the raw materials, including copper and oil in the factories—as they will perhaps make a clean sweep tomorrow of all leather belting, supplies of which now must be declared in detail, if they had not requisitioned in masses, machinery, parts of machinery and machine tools; if, finally, they had not placed prohibitive duties on metal goods exported to Holland in order to keep them out of the market, the only one remaining open as a competitor for Germany? It is necessary to add that industries cited by the Germans as having no connection with the war, such as quarries and lime kilns, furnish the German army with materials for concrete wherewith to fortify and consolidate trenches."

"If they desire to use the arms of our workmen to repair and maintain roads, would it be necessary to deport them like cattle instead of employing them in the neighborhood of their homes and families? The truth is that the German government by these roundings of Belgians intends to liberate an equal number of German workmen to fill the gaps in the regiments of its armies."

To Civilized Nations.
"The Belgian government denounces to the civilized nations—among whom the American people has made itself conspicuous by its love of right and justice, its horror of oppression and its eagerness to help the unfortunate victims of nations and the rules of The Hague convention. It protests with all its power against the slave trade organized in Belgium in contempt of the principles of humanity and international conventions."

BAVARIAN PRINCE DIED OF WOUNDS

Berlin, Nov. 9.—Prince Henry of Bavaria, nephew of King Louis, is reported from Munich to have died from wounds received on a reconnaissance trip on November 5. Prince Henry was 32 years old and a major in the Bavarian Guards. He was reported to have been wounded on the battlefield last June. He was unmarried.

Bulgarian Forces Retiring on Whole Front in Dobrudja

Bucharest, Nov. 9.—The Bulgarian forces are retreating along their whole front in the province of Dobrudja, according to a semi-official statement issued here to-day. As the Bulgarians withdraw, the statement says, they are systematically burning the Roumanian villages.

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GERMANS REPULSED BY FOCH'S MEN AT SAILLY-SAILLISSEL

Paris, Nov. 9.—A German attack on Saily-Sailles, north of the Somme, last night, was repulsed after a brief hand-to-hand encounter, the war office announced this afternoon.

There was great artillery activity during the night.

DESIRE DETAILS OF SINKING OF ARABIA

Washington Officials Awaiting Information Regarding Act of German Submarine

NO REPORT AMERICANS WERE ON THE LINER

Sinking Has Added to Gravity of Question of Submarine Warfare

Washington, Nov. 9.—Full information regarding the torpedoing of the British passenger liner Arabia, of the P. and O. Line, is awaited at the state department with concern. There has been no report indicating that there were Americans on board the vessel, but the announcement of the British admiralty that a ship carrying hundreds of passengers, including women and children, had been destroyed without warning, has added seriousness to the submarine question now pending.

If it should develop that the Arabia carried no Americans, the United States probably would take no official notice of the incident, although the deepest interest would be felt because of the possibility that it might mean a change in Germany's methods of submarine warfare.

A brief cablegram from Ambassador Pake at London late yesterday announced the sinking of the liner. It made no mention of Americans on board.

BRITISH INQUIRED ABOUT ELECTION

Many Asked Office of the Chicago Tribune in London

London, Nov. 9.—Not until the evening papers of London issued their final editions yesterday was there any doubt in the minds of the people here, that Charles E. Hughes had been elected president of the United States. Consequently all the editorial comments of the evening papers were based on the assumption of a Republican victory.

The office here of the Chicago Tribune was bombarded all day by people, Britishers as well as Americans, anxious to learn the results of the election, showing that the interest in this year's contest is more widespread than it has been for years.

Col. Roosevelt was given full credit by the Northcliffe press for the supposed Hughes victory.

The Evening News said editorially: "Col. Roosevelt is nothing if not outspoken, while Mr. Hughes is distinctly cautious in his utterances, but the mere fact that the ex-president has ardently supported the Republican candidate shows he considers that Mr. Hughes is free from those faults which Col. Roosevelt has so unsparsingly condemned."

4,000 BUSHELS OF PRAIRIE WHEAT AT \$2 BUSHEL TO-DAY

Winnipeg, Nov. 9.—A local grain firm sold to-day 4,000 bushels of No. 1 northern wheat in store at Fort William at \$2 per bushel.

MAJ. BECKLES WILSON WITH GENERAL STAFF

London, Nov. 9.—Major Beckles Wilson has ceased to be employed in the Canadian war records office and has been transferred to the general staff.

SIX INJURED

Topeka, Kas., Nov. 9.—The Golden State Limited was wrecked near here on the Rock Island line when a flange on a wheel snapped off. Six persons were injured, one probably fatally.

EACH SIDE CLAIMING; OUTCOME IN STATES STILL IS IN DOUBT

Democrats Claim North Dakota, California, New Mexico and New Hampshire and Say Wilson Will Have 288 Electoral Votes; Republicans Expect Hughes Will Have at Least 280 Votes

New York, Nov. 9.—With five states still in doubt, the national committee chairmen of the Republican and Democratic parties were unwilling to concede here this afternoon that the opposing presidential candidate had received a sufficient number of electoral votes to win.

Meanwhile it was indicated at both headquarters that in states where the vote was close a recount would be demanded. Both sides again announced they were taking precautions to guard ballot boxes.

Vance C. McCormick, Democratic chairman, reiterated emphatically his claim of yesterday that President Wilson would be re-elected with 288 electoral votes, 22 more than enough to bring him the victory. Mr. McCormick claimed North Dakota, California, New Mexico and New Hampshire and insisted the Democrats had a good chance to win in Minnesota.

Republican Chairman Willcox said he stood by his statement of last night that Hughes would get at least 280 electoral votes.

Charles B. Warren, Republican national committeeman from Michigan, after a conference with other Republican leaders at headquarters, declared that Oregon and West Virginia were safely for Hughes and that the outcome depended on Minnesota, California, North Dakota and New Hampshire. Minnesota probably would go for Hughes, he said, but in the last four of these states the official count would be necessary to determine the result.

New York, Nov. 9.—Democratic Chairman McCormick announced late to-day that he had sent telegrams to all the Democratic state chairmen in the country telling them to "engage bands and buy red fire to celebrate tonight the re-election of Woodrow Wilson."

By 115 Votes.
New York, Nov. 9.—Chairman McCormick announced at 3:45 p.m. that he had been told over the long-distance telephone by State Democratic Chairman Ferrand, of New Hampshire, that with all the ballots counted Wilson had carried that state by 115 votes.

New York, Nov. 9.—Chairman Willcox, of the Republican national committee, called on Mr. Hughes at 3:45 p.m. at the latter's hotel. Mr. Willcox said his visit was without special significance, "I have nothing to add to my early statement," Mr. Willcox said. "We claim Mr. Hughes has been elected."

Senate and House.
New York, Nov. 9.—The Democrats, assured of control of the next Senate, may retain control of the House by holding ten seats in 21 congressional districts yet to be heard from. Early to-day the division of members already elected was as follows: Democrats, 210; Republicans, 200; Progressives, 2; Independent, 1; Socialist, 1.

In 21 districts not yet reported are the following, which are Democratic in the present congress: Two each in Missouri and Indiana, three in West Virginia, and one each in Washington, Michigan and Pennsylvania. Eleven of the missing districts are Republican, as follows: Two in Nebraska, three in West Virginia, three in Washington and one each in New Mexico, Ohio and Wyoming.

If these districts should hold to their present political status in the returns yet to come the Democrats would have the slender majority of five in the next House, their total being 330 to 325 Republicans and four of other minority parties.

At Noon.
In all but five states at noon to-day the electoral vote gave President Wilson 251 and Mr. Hughes 243, the five doubtful states with their electoral votes being California, 13; Minnesota, 12; New Mexico, 3; North Dakota, 5; New Hampshire, 4.

The sudden switch of New Hampshire from a small Hughes plurality to 95 votes for Wilson was the dramatic change in the situation this forenoon. It came in an announcement from the secretary of state that a partial official count of all the districts had disclosed errors in tabulation by town and ward clerks to that extent. The official count still is progressing.

San Francisco, Nov. 9.—Figures from 5,381 precincts out of 5,870 in California gave Hughes 450,541 and Wilson 453,123, Wilson's plurality being 2,582. This drop of about 500 votes from the last previous tabulation was occasioned by the rectification of the Oakland and Alameda county vote, the county clerk announcing a correction in Hughes's favor of 492 votes. At this time but nine precincts were still in doubt.

precincts were yet to be heard from in Los Angeles county. Hughes's great stronghold, while more than 400 precincts in Northern California expected mostly to give Wilson a plurality, were yet to be heard from. These northern precincts are in isolated mountain counties and all may not be available before to-morrow.

North Dakota.
 Fargo, N. D., Nov. 9.—When President Wilson's plurality in North Dakota had mounted 1,500 this afternoon several of the leading Republican newspapers conceded that he had carried the state. Returns from 1,745 precincts out of 1,959 in the state gave Wilson 53,125 and Hughes 51,786.

New Mexico.
 Santa Fe, N. M., Nov. 9.—Returns from 327 out of 638 precincts in New Mexico gave Wilson 21,424; Hughes, 20,696.

Minnesota.
 St. Paul, Nov. 9.—Fred B. Lynch, Democratic national committeeman from Minnesota, telegraphed President Wilson this afternoon that Minnesota would give him a plurality of 1,003.

St. Paul, Nov. 9.—Returns for president from 2,660 precincts out of 3,024 in Minnesota gave Wilson 169,136; Hughes, 169,433.

West Virginia.
 Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 9.—Returns from 1,324 precincts out of 1,713 in West Virginia for president gave Hughes 114,935; Wilson, 110,556.

Indiana.
 Indianapolis, Nov. 9.—Hughes's lead over Wilson was slightly reduced by belated official returns received here shortly before noon to-day. With only 237 out of the 3,843 precincts in Indiana missing, the Republican 10,000 had a margin of 8,487. The totals were: Hughes, 319,993; Wilson, 311,506.

The Republican candidates for governor and U. S. senator still hold good leads over their opponents.

New Jersey.
 Trenton, N. J., Nov. 9.—With 11 counties complete and 25 small districts missing in the eight remaining counties, Hughes's plurality to-day was 54,774 over Wilson in the latter's own state. The vote for Hughes was 262,386, and for Wilson the vote was 207,612. Mercer county complete, where the president voted, gave Hughes a plurality of 3,629 out of 15,001 votes cast.

Guard Established.
 Oakland, Cal., Nov. 9.—Evidently acting under instructions from the Democratic national committee, members of the local committee of the party have established a guard at the local courthouse where Alameda county ballots are.

Recount Coming.
 New York, Nov. 9.—Henry Morgenthau, in charge of Democratic headquarters in the absence of Chairman McCormick, said a recount would be demanded of the vote in New Hampshire.

Woman to Congress.
 Helena, Mont., Nov. 9.—The state Republican central committee, upon revised and fuller figures from the state to-day, claimed the election of Miss Jeannette Rankin to Congress and the entire state ticket excepting governor and possibly lieutenant governor.

South Dakota.
 Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 9.—With 200 precincts missing the vote on woman suffrage stood: For, 22,934; against, 25,343. In 1,614 precincts out of 1,728 Hughes got 50,593 and Wilson 45,449. With 164 precincts missing the vote on prohibition is: For, 30,264; against, 24,174.

TORONTO BANK CLEARINGS.
 Toronto, Nov. 9.—The bank clearings here for the week ended to-day were \$62,760,000. For the corresponding week last year the clearings were \$43,507,576, and \$35,891,429 in 1914.

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GERMANS MAKING BELGIANS SLAVES

Belgian Government Has Decided to Protest to Neutral Governments

Havre, Nov. 9.—The Belgian government has decided to protest to the principal neutral governments against the deportation of Belgians and their employment at forced labor in German factories and in military work in the Verdun region.

The documentary bureau of the Belgian minister of war in making this announcement says the government has positive information that 15,000 Belgians and a number of French civilians were forcibly taken between October 15 and 24 from various parts of Belgium, Flanders and the region of Mons.

"These unfortunate," says the note, "were crowded into open cars, exposed to intemperate weather and sent as

cattle to various destinations, certain of them to Germany and others to the Verdun front. There can be no doubt that most of them will be employed on work of a military character.

"The Belgian government has decided to protest to neutral countries against this particularly abominable violation of Article 3 of The Hague convention."

GRANT HALL, OF C. P. R., MEETS TRAINMEN

Winnipeg, Nov. 9.—Grant Hall, vice-president and general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, met here today the local chairmen of the various trainmen's committees with a view to the satisfactory interpretation of some of the rather ambiguous clauses in new schedule recently put into force.

ARTHUR HENDERSON PENSIONS MINISTER

London, Nov. 9.—Arthur Henderson, leader of the labor party in the House of Commons, has been appointed minister of pensions, a post recently created.

NOT TIME TO FORM LEAGUE FOR PEACE

Such Effort in Britain Would Be Misunderstood, Says London Times

London, Nov. 9.—The Times, commenting upon a letter from two members of parliament, which proposes "an immediate movement toward the league of nations," says, under the heading: "An inopportune suggestion."

"The members inform us that their society has been in existence for 18 months, and has been considering the difficulty and complex question of constituting a league of nations after the war. It has arrived at definite ideas for the solution of the great problem of permanent peace. The members of the league are to refer their disputes to a tribunal whose awards are to be enforced."

"The project is an enlargement of the writers, who remind us that it is warmly supported by President Wilson, and that he has gone so far as to express the belief that the United States would renounce its isolation to join the proposed league."

"The writers of the letter seek support from Viscount Grey's speech. They seem to misunderstand what Viscount Grey said. He expressly scouted the notion that while in the throes of this death struggle we can be expected to have time for developing ideas as to what can be done after victory has been secured. He welcomed work of that kind in neutral countries, but a movement here of such a kind as this letter advocates would be certain to be misunderstood."

"There are among us, irresponsible persons who babble of immediate peace terms which would leave the Prussians free to renew their felonious attack upon the liberties of nations at their own moment."

ROUMANIAN GENERAL DIES

London, Nov. 9.—The death of General Dragalina, commander of the first Roumanian army, from a wound received recently in battle, is reported in a Bucharest dispatch to the Wireless Press.

ROUMANIAN FORCES MOVED IN DOBRUDJA

Made Further Advance Toward South; Serbians Repulsed Bulgars Near Cerna

Bucharest, Nov. 9.—The Roumanian forces in Dobrudja, continuing their offensive, made a further advance toward the south, it was announced officially last evening. All along the Danube there was artillery and infantry fighting. Salient at the mouth of the middle estuary of the Danube, was attacked by enemy seaplanes, one of which was brought down.

On the Transylvanian front, in the vicinity of Prasova, Austro-German attacks were repulsed.

Violent artillery fighting occurred in this region, as well as in the Buzeu valley.

The situation was reported as unchanged along the northern Roumanian front.

Repulsed by Serbians.

Paris, Nov. 9.—Bulgarian forces took the offensive against the Serbian forces in the Cerna region on the Macedonian front southwest of Monastir. They made three attacks the war office announced last night, and were repulsed. They retired, leaving many dead.

FURTHER ADVANCE BY RUSSIAN TROOPS

Ground Taken South of Dorna Watra; East of Jiu Valley Reinforced

Petrograd, Nov. 9.—A further advance by Russian forces west and south of Mount Lamuneln, south of Dorna Watra, near the Roumanian frontier, was announced officially last evening. The Russians reached the section of the Bistricza valley from Belhorae Heide.

The Austro-Hungarian forces east of the Jiu valley have received reinforcements and assumed the offensive. In the direction of Pradel and the Alt, enemy attacks continue.

The situation along the Danube is unchanged.

An Austro-German attack in Volhynia, near Sintovichi, on the Stockhod, was repulsed by Russian forces, the war office announced yesterday afternoon. An attempt by Teutonic forces to advance in the region of Ostrovolos also was repulsed.

Vienna, Nov. 9.—Austrian troops repulsed Russian attacks southeast of the Szurdok pass, in Transylvania, and regained all their former positions on both sides of the Bodza road, according to an official communication issued last evening. Russian forces gained ground northeast of Tulghe.

GERMANY URGED TO TRY FOR ARMISTICE

"How Long Is Massacre to Last?" Asked Socialist in Reichstag

London, Nov. 9.—Copies of German newspapers received here contain the full text of a remarkable speech delivered in the Reichstag by Herr Bernstein, a Socialist leader who, after indicting vehemently German methods in conducting the war and finance, appealed to the government to proclaim an immediate armistice preparatory to a definite peace.

"The time has come when we must ask ourselves, how much longer this war is going to last," said Herr Bernstein. "We are witnessing a dangerous growth of the state indebtedness and the question arises where all this money is coming from."

"The secretary of state has remarked that no particular pressure was required to make the last loan a success. I can say only that we know many cases where strong pressure was brought to bear with that object."

Separate Peace Impossible.

"Who are the other subscribers to the loans? A good number are banks and other public institutions; then come the prosperous land owners, the successful traders and manufacturers, all of whom have been enriched by large war profits at the expense of the great mass of the populace."

"Our attempts to come to an agreement with individual enemies at the cost of others are doomed to failure, as is shown by the fate of our efforts to conclude a separate peace with the Russians. Indeed, these peace overtures to Russia, when our people have been urged to fight for two years, don't exactly rebound to our honor. In addition, they're hopeless."

"What is the fundamental vice of the German policy? What is it which turns even our sincere friends in times of peace into our adversaries now? It is the extreme distrust with which not only the governments, but the people of other countries regard us."

War on Non-combatants.

"One of the principle results of the progress of our civilization was the confining of war to combatants only. Now we have petitions to the Reichstag urging war upon non-combatants with the most brutal weapons. The bombing of open cities is advocated in order to bring the enemy nation concerned to its knees, but this betrays a complete misconception of popular psychology which was better understood by Sophocles, who said that an enemy must be fought in such a way that he will once more become a friend."

"The number killed in this war is estimated already at 4,500,000. The number of permanently crippled is estimated at 3,300,000. The number of wounded is estimated at 11,000,000. How long is this massacre to last?"

"To put an end to it, it is necessary to make an unequivocal statement. I will tell you what kind is needed. Let it be proclaimed authoritatively on the German side that we are prepared to conclude an armistice as a preliminary to a general European congress, which should restore peace on the basis of the democratic rights of all nations."

THOMAS KELLY NOT GRANTED NEW TRIAL

Judges of Supreme Court of Canada Give Reasons for Decision

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—Their reasons for refusing to allow Thomas Kelly, contractor of Winnipeg, a new trial on charges arising out of his connection with the construction of the Manitoba parliament buildings, were handed down by the judges of the supreme court of Canada yesterday. Chief Justice Fitzpatrick, Mr. Justice Davies and Mr. Justice Anglin, who agree in their findings, say in part:

"Having regard to all the circumstances of the case, and especially to the possible embarrassment which may have been caused by the trial together of separate counts, and to the fact that the learned trial judge while he carefully deemed each of the offences charged, deemed it advisable to abstain from instructing the jury as to the facts in evidence bearing upon each of the indictments, we think the position taken by counsel for the crown eminently proper, and that we ought to treat the verdict as a verdict on the lesser charge, namely, that of obtaining money on false pretences."

"On this charge we find no dissent in the court of appeal on the two propositions, that the court itself was properly laid and that there was sufficient evidence to justify conviction upon it."

After quoting the objections urged by counsel for Kelly, the judges proceed to say that they are of the opinion that Kelly's guilt on the fourth count was established in such a convincing manner that there could have been no substantial miscarriage of justice. The matters complained of, taken singly or cumulatively, are most unlikely to have affected the judgment."

The judges conclude:

"So overwhelming is the proof furnished by the evidence not excepted, that no honest jury could have returned other than a verdict of guilty of obtaining money under false pretences, had the conduct of the case been entirely free from all the alleged errors of omission and commission. No substantial wrong was occasioned in the trial of the fourth count, and the con-

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UNCLE SAM'S THRILLER

Uncle Sam's sensational presidential contest was still in doubt at noon to-day, with Dr. Wilson slightly in the lead. He was credited with 251 votes in the electoral college, while the total of his opponent was 243. Either candidate must have 266 to win the election, the total vote being 531. The doubtful states now are: California with 13 electoral votes, Minnesota with 12, North Dakota with 5, New Hampshire with 4 and New Mexico with 3. Each side, of course, claims all of them. If Wilson captured them his total vote would be 288 against 243 for Hughes. If the Republican candidate gains them his vote will be 280 against Wilson's 251.

Wilson must win either Minnesota or California in addition to either North Dakota, New Hampshire or New Mexico. For Hughes to become president he must win both California and Minnesota or either in addition to both North Dakota and New Hampshire. Thus without investigating the course of the count in the doubtful states, Wilson has a better position. On the other hand, an examination of the returns in each state narrows the margin until the two stand almost neck and neck.

These returns grow more intensely interesting and exciting hour by hour. In California, Wilson overcame Hughes' lead of yesterday and this morning was nearly 5,000 ahead with 570 precincts to be counted. Of these 143 are known to be Republican centres, while others are in portions of the state which have gone to the Wilson column. Minnesota, however, furnishes the most spectacular fight. Yesterday Wilson had a lead there of 10,000. This was finally overcome by Hughes. Then during the night the president forged ahead again until this morning with 600 precincts to be counted Hughes had the lead with about 1,000. In North Dakota Dr. Wilson led by 700; with 200 districts unreported. In New Mexico, on the other hand, Mr. Hughes had a lead of less than 300 over the Democratic candidate. Estimating the total electoral votes on the known results and the present position of the two candidates in the doubtful states we have: Wilson, 269; Hughes, 262.

Whoever wins it is clear that the margin will be very narrow in the electoral college, while in many of the states the popular vote is so close that recounts and protests are bound to arise. So far the election has been a surprise to all the prophets except the few who predicted either a landslide for Wilson or a victory for Hughes by a small majority. It certainly has been a surprise for the president's following, who undoubtedly were certain their candidate would sweep the country. The Wilson campaign manager, Vance McCormick, positively asserted that Hughes would not win more than 70 out of the 531 votes of the electoral college, and there is reason to suspect that the president shared his optimism. The narrow squeak of the slogan, "He kept us out of the war," if it is not rejected altogether, carries a significance which cannot be lost upon Dr. Wilson, especially in view of the fact that the people of those states best informed

on the issues of the great world-struggle turned him down.

POSTED NOVEMBER 6

A cablegram has been received from Sir Richard McBride stating that he had posted the certificate of the soldiers' vote on November 6. It probably will not reach here until November 24 or 25 at the earliest, which means that the Bowser government will not retire from office until the first of next month, if indeed, its discredited head does not hatch up some excuse to cling to the treasury benches until the end of the year.

Thus at least two and a half months will have elapsed between the time the civilian electors of the province told Mr. Bowser and his colleagues that they were not wanted and the date of his retirement and more than a month after they knew the result of the soldiers' vote. A more glaring exhibition of contempt for public opinion never has been seen in a British country under representative government. Mr. Bowser can consider himself fortunate that a disgusted electorate has not propelled him out of office by means more forcible than polite. That is what people do in their own private establishments to interlopers who refuse to leave when told to do so. Our Conservative friends now fully understand what the Liberals meant when they counted Mr. Bowser as first-class campaign material for them.

FISCAL POSSIBILITIES.

An important aspect of the presidential election which may have been lost sight of is the effect it will have upon Canadian trade. One of the chief planks of the Republican platform is the restoration of the United States tariff to its former altitude at least and possibly to an even higher mark. It will be remembered that not long after President Wilson took office the Underwood tariff measure was introduced and passed in Congress after a long, hard fight. That legislation made many radical reductions in the duties on imports into the republic and placed numerous articles on the free list. Among these were lumber and lumber products, cattle, potatoes, pulp, paper, whale oil, asbestos, and copper, while on other products the duties were very substantially lowered.

The effect of this tariff upon Canada's export trade with the United States was marked. In 1912, the year before the Underwood bill was passed, our exports to that country were \$102,044,000. In the next year they totalled \$139,725,000. In 1914 they jumped to \$163,312,000; in 1915 they were \$173,360,000, while in the year ending March 31 last they reached \$201,106,000. Thus during the last four years our exports to the United States have shown an increase of \$50,000,000 a year. The Canadian cattle industry particularly benefited from the Wilson policy. Before the Underwood bill was passed it was rapidly approaching extinction. The opening of the big market south of the boundary line at once gave it a remarkable stimulus, as the following table of exports of horned cattle will show:

1912 (year end, March 31)	615,309
1913	1,116,923
1914	7,043,086
1915	9,152,580
1916	11,148,794

British Columbia fishing interests and lumber interests, especially the shingle manufacturers, would suffer from the substitution of a high tariff across the line for the present schedule, and from the standpoint of trade and production the province in common with the whole country would gain more from the election of Wilson than it would from the return of Hughes. At the same time there is little doubt that an increase in the tariff by a Republican administration ultimately would create another demand in the United States for its revision similar to that which arose from the high cost of necessities of life during the presidency of Taft, and impelled him to try to obtain a solution of the problem by negotiating a reciprocity agreement with Canada through which he might claim to have relieved the situation without compromising the traditional Republican policy of protection.

VERY MUCH ALIVE.

According to reports from the Mexican border Villa at the head of a considerable force has disastrously defeated a Carranza army at Parral, a little over a hundred miles south of Chihuahua, and is marching upon that important city which, it is expected, will be evacuated by the government troops. Chihuahua is the capital of the large state of that name immediately south of New Mexico, and through it runs the Mexican-National Railway from Juarez, just across the border from the United States, to Mexico City.

It was through Chihuahua that General Pershing's expeditionary force marched with instructions to capture Villa dead or alive and break up his band. Detachments of that force penetrated as far as Parral, the scene of Villa's recent victory, where they came

into conflict with some of Carranza's soldiers. The main force, however, is concentrated at Nuniqualpa, northwest of Chihuahua city, pending the interminable negotiations between the Washington and Carranza governments over its future operations. The army came to a standstill and the instructions went by the board when Carranza, taking advantage of the vacillating attitude of Washington in respect of its foreign policy generally, peremptorily demanded that Pershing proceed no further, announcing that if he attempted to advance or turned to the right or left he would be attacked. Then began the inevitable exchange of notes, and a joint commission was appointed to investigate the whole situation. American newspapers friendly to the administration in the meantime circulating the report that Villa was dead and pointing out that this being so and his band having been broken up there was no occasion for Pershing's force to remain in Mexico any longer.

Meanwhile Villa was very much alive, and no doubt thankful for the splendid opportunity of organizing his resources which had been considerably presented to him by the two presidents. While they were exchanging polite communications he was consolidating his strength in the districts where he is strong, using the presence of Pershing's army at Nuniqualpa as first-class recruiting material. Incidentally he was murdering every American he could get his hands on. Finally, considering himself strong enough to move, he struck at several points. First he entered Chihuahua and departed with more than a thousand new recruits, who up to that moment had worn the Carranza uniform, and a large quantity of arms and munitions. Then, well supplied in that respect, he turned southward to meet the army Carranza had dispatched against him. According to reports he has completely defeated that force and his entry into Chihuahua no doubt will be recorded in a few days. Meanwhile the American force which was sent to Mexico to get Villa "dead or alive" and break up his band is still there, while the joint commission is talking the situation over in Mexico City.

After the hurly-burly is done we can see great opportunities for an unlimited exchange of "notes." The Huns gave an undertaking to President Wilson that they would sink no more passenger ships without warning and making provision for the safety of passengers and crews. Yet the pirates have sunk the Arabia. Now we suppose there will be a still hunt for "extenuating circumstances," but Woodrow doubtless has made a "note" of the fact that the American people are becoming somewhat impatient over quibbles.

The Wilson administration has confronted many crises since the war began. Now it has two on its hands, one with Germany over the sinking of several ships without warning and without making provision for the safety of passengers and crews, and the other with respect to a purely domestic affair in which one Charles E. Hughes is more or less interested.

The mess of incriminating evidence that has accumulated across James Bay must have been fearful, judging by the time it is taking the government to clean it up. Apparently the post-election experiences of Sir Rodmond Roblin have determined Mr. Bowser to stick to office until every clue has been destroyed after a fine-comb and microscopic search.

The embargo imposed by the Canadian government upon the use of the Canadian mails by the Hearst newspapers is not sufficient. As our morning contemporary says, these anti-British journals should be barred from Canadian circulation altogether.

Four more states are reported to have gone "dry." California sticks stubbornly to its idols, however. Very soon the state with the "glorious climate" will loom up in the vision of the "wets" like "the shadow of a great rock in a weary land."

Captain Koenig, skipper of the Deutschland, interviewed by an admirer at New London, Conn., reported that there were no longer any monkeys in Germany. Can it be possible that Fritz, in his extremity has developed cannibalistic tendencies?

We think it is about forty years since there has been such a political situation as is now developing in the United States. Then it was claimed that Hayes, a minority candidate for president, was "counted in" over Tilden, the Democratic candidate.

A Vancouver paper announced, unquestionably on Mr. Bowser's authority, that the certificate of the soldiers' vote had been mailed on November 3. Sir Richard McBride to-day cables that it was posted on November 6. Enough said.

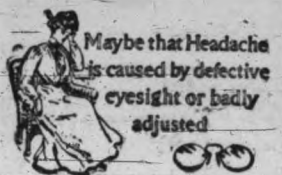
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The French, on their side, are not so constantly claiming that God is with them, but they are doing quite as much as the Germans to merit the divine assistance; that is to say, they are devoting themselves most manfully to the defence of a cause which in their hearts they know to be just, and which the greater part of all the people in the world agree with them in regarding as just. The statesmen and war chiefs of France say little about God in their speeches and bulletins, but who knows that God is not better pleased with their reticence than with the vain-glorious boast of a monarch who evidently regards Him as a tribal deity only, like that God of Israel who was supposedly supposed to exist only for the purpose of dispossessing the Amorites and the Canaanites—expecting him to crush with his sceptre the Belgians, the French, the Serbians and the Roumanians, in order that his supposedly chosen people shall possess their land?

It would be strange if the skepticism of Joffre, who holds his tongue and hammers away at the entrenchments of an arrogant and cruel invader, were not quite as pleasing to the Almighty as the constant insolent assumption of Divine support which the German Emperor is making. General Joffre at least assumes no partnership on the part of God with a nefarious programme of national robbery and murder. Joffre is moreover, succeeding where on that line the pious emperor fails. Under the accumulating evidence that his soldiers cannot stand up against the French and British—that the allies have but to advance upon a trench, after due preparation with their "No. 1 curtain of fire," to get it—the congratulations of the Kaiser must appear to the flagging

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A commission has been issued appointing Hon. D. W. Higgins (Speaker), John Grant, M. P., and A. Philip Peacock, solicitor, to revise the rules for the conduct of business in the House of Assembly.
Capt. Fred Deering, of the sailing schooner Ethel, came down on the Mexico on Saturday evening. He is on his way to San Francisco to procure bonds for the release of his vessel, which was seized by the U. S. revenue Corwin and towed into Sitka.

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Every member of each of the five ward associations is a member of the central body and therefore entitled to attend the meetings of it. It is desired that there should be a large attendance this evening, as there are several matters of business to be taken up.

Among the subjects to be discussed there are amendments to the constitution which have been proposed, and these come up for consideration and adoption.

During the course of next month the annual meetings of the ward associations take place, and the annual meeting of the city association falls during the month of January. Every person who is in sympathy with the policies of the Liberal party is eligible as a member of the association, and forms of application can be obtained from any of the officers of the ward associations or at the rooms in the Arcade building, Broad and View streets.

SAFETY FIRST AWARDS

B. C. Electric Railway Announces Results of School Children's Competition.

A great many very clever sentences were submitted by school children of Victoria in the competition instituted by the B. C. Electric Railway Company for the best slogan, the first letters of each word to form the acrostic, "Safety First." So many were there, in fact, that A. T. Goward, the local manager, added several prizes to those originally offered. The awards were:

First Prize—"Street Accidents Follow Every Thoughtless Youngster. Foolishly Impeding Running Street Trams." Submitted by Archie Clark, 29 Gorge Road, to whom the first prize of \$5 has been awarded.

Second Prize—"Sense And Foresight Ensure The Young From Injury. Reducing Street Tragedies." Submitted by Edmund Boothroyd Corby, 346 Berwick street, to whom the second prize of \$2.50 has been awarded.

In appreciation of their interest and efforts in the contest the following were each awarded a prize of one dollar:

Ivy Middleton, 3128 Qu'Appelle street, who submitted: "Strict Attention! For Every Time You Forget, It Represents Sudden Tragedy."

Grant Taylor, 141 Government street, submitted: "Safety Always First. Explains That Your Force Invariably Remembers Schoolboy Thoughtlessness."

James Erskine Nimmo, Saanichton, submitted: "Sound Advice, Fathers, Educate The Young Fellows In Respecting Street Traffic."

George Adams, 2550 Seagull avenue, submitted: "Serious Accidents Frequently Ensnare Through Young Folks Ignoring Rules Stipulated Therein."

Iris Middleton, 3128 Qu'Appelle street, submitted: "Steer Aisy, Flannigan! Else 'Tis Your Funeral In Reporting Sometime To-morrow."

China Painting.—In the Bellevue block 724 1/2 Yates street next door to the Victoria Furniture Co., there was opened on Monday last the Anglo-French Art Studio, a diminutive workshop which is all visible from the street if the inquisitive person will only stand on tip-toe and look behind the high shelf of decorated china which screens the workers from view.

Mrs. Le Huquet, who has had a studio in the James Bay district for some time, has commenced classes in this more central position in the city, and will be glad to take pupils for three-hour lessons either from 2 to 5 in the afternoon or from 7 to 10 at night.

Arrangement can be made by telephone if wished, by phoning before mid-day or after 6 o'clock in the evening to 1205 L. Mme. Le Huquet reminds patrons intending to place Christmas orders that it would be much better to place these immediately, as there is only a short time before the holiday season left in which to complete the same. She has both white and decorated china for sale, and will be glad to take orders.

Voters' Educational League.—In connection with the movement which has been made to educate women to value the franchise and understand its right uses, the school board last evening granted permission to Mrs. Gordon Grant and Mrs. Graves, on behalf of the local council of women, to use the girls' central school auditorium on Wednesday next.

Routing of Street Cars.—On Sunday next the B. C. Electric railway announces changes in the routing of cars as follows: Esquimalt and Gorge routes—Cars will enter the city by way of Douglas street, and will leave the city by way of Yates and Government streets, Hillside route—Cars will enter the city by way of Douglas street, and will leave the city by way of Yates and Government streets, Beacon Hill and Burnside routes—Cars will run direct from the Beacon Hill terminus to the Burnside terminus and return by way of Government street, Oak Bay, Uplands, Willows and Fowl Bay routes—Cars will enter the city by way of Douglas street, and will leave the city by way of Government and Fort streets.

Donations Acknowledged.—The manager of the Home for the Aged and infirm acknowledges with thanks the following donations for the month of October: Mrs. F. S. Barnard, pears; Mrs. B. W. Pearce, illustrated London News; Mrs. Herbert Ackroyd, reading matter; Mrs. McDonald (Menzies street), clothing; Mrs. Wootten, pears and magazines; Hon. Jas. Duns-muir, potatoes. Made in Victoria Fair per Alderman John Walker, fruit and vegetables; Alderman Walker, magazines; Mr. Burnett, clothing; A. Friend, pears; Dr. Moore, pears; Alderman Porter, games and clothing; Meers, Hibben & Co., reading matter; James Bay hotel, magazines; Times and Colonist, 2 copies each daily papers; The Week and Christian Science Monitor.

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I Know a Lovely Garden	Break o' Day
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What Shall I Say	How Dear to Me the Hour
Do You Remember?	Home Bells Are Ringing
God Bring You Home Again	Love, Here Is My Heart
I Love You Truly	My Heart's With the Old Folks
Moon and Sea	A Soldier's Toast
Sheaf of Memories	Valley of Laughter
Love's Valley	When You Come Home
Wait!	Sunshine of Your Smile
The Melody of Home	One Fleeting Hour
In an Old-Fashioned Town	Dear Little Star
Land of Long Ago	

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Large pkg.....		Per lb.	
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Eggs, per doz.....		2 packages	
Fry's Cocoa,	24c	Gold Seal Tea in lead	35c
1/2 lb. tin.....		packages, per lb.	
Christie's Sodas,	35c	3 lbs.	\$1.00
large tin.....		Fine Small White	24c
Pure Fruit Jam,	45c	Beans, 3 lbs.	
4-lb. pall.....		Fine Juicy Lemons,	19c
People's Favorite Butter, per lb.	85c	per doz.....	
45¢; 2 lbs.		Choice Large Grape-	25c
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The Weiler Arbitration.—It is understood that when the Weiler arbitration is proceeded with to-morrow, it will be announced that the claimants have withdrawn the name of their nominee from the board, on account of the objection lodged at the initial meeting. It will be a question of law whether they can nominate another at this stage, or whether arbitration must proceed with the other members of the court.

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 2 oz. currants
 3 teaspoons baking powder
 1/2 teaspoon salt
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 Mix to a smooth batter and drop in small spoonfuls on to a well-greased baking pan. Bake in moderately hot oven for 15 to 20 minutes. Let cool in a pan before breaking apart.

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CABARET PROCEEDS

"Sister Susie" Club Clears \$535.01 From Saturday's War-Bazaar.

There were 656 people present at the "Sister Susie" cabaret and war bazaar held in the ballroom of the Empress hotel on the evening of November 4, and the Prisoners of War Fund will benefit to the extent of \$535.01, this sum having been handed to the hon. secretary-treasurer, Mrs. T. H. Laundry, by the "Sister Susie" Club. The following is an acknowledgment of the receipt of the money:

To the Sister Susie Club:
 The committee of the Canadian Prisoners of War Fund, L.O.D.E., wish to send their sincerest thanks to each member of the "Sister Susie" Club of Victoria for the generous sum of \$535.01 which they have raised for our Canadian prisoners of war.

The noble efforts of your club, which we understand consists of not more

than twelve active girl members who have given time and energy in such a good cause, will, we feel sure, be heartily appreciated by our dear Canadian prisoners in their loneliness and add to the material comforts which such a substantial donation to the fund will provide for them. With heartfelt good wishes for the success of your club in all its undertakings, believe me, yours truly,

N. LAUNDY,
 Hon. Sec. Treas., Canadian Prisoners of War Fund, L.O.D.E.

The Sister Susie Club would like to take this opportunity of tendering their grateful thanks to Mr. Banagila, the manager of the Empress hotel, whose courteous assistance and liberal personal donation went far to make the entertainment the success it was; to Mrs. H. Pooley, Mrs. Dunsmuir, Mrs. Green, Miss Haggerty, Miss Kirk, Q.-M.-S. Gillan and Mr. Dawson for their delightful concert; to Mrs. Duff-Edwards and Miss Le Neven for fortune-telling, and to all those ladies who assisted in other ways; to T. H. Laundry and R. Jones for acting treasurer for the evening.

The raffle for the doll was drawn by Lieut.-Col. Bruce-Powley, the winning ticket being No. 36, Miss Anderson, No. 1717 Duchess street.

For the benefit of the public who so liberally patronized them, the Sister Susie Club wish to state that apart from the general expenses incidental to an affair of this kind, the whole of the proceeds has been given to the Canadian Prisoners of War Fund.

A detective was praising the truthfulness of women. "If war bulletins were as truthful as women," he said, "we'd have a better idea of how this world struggle is really going. I remember a case the other day—it's interesting in its revelation of woman's truthfulness—the case of a husband who had disappeared. Questioning the wife, I said to her: 'And now, madam, tell me—this is very important—tell me what your husband's very last words were when he left.' His last words, the truthful creature answered with a blish, were 'For heaven's sake, shut up.'"

George (to Tom, fishing): "How many have you caught?" Tom (to George): "Oh, I couldn't count 'em." George (speaking to the can): "Why, you haven't caught any at all." Tom: "That's why I can't count 'em."

New Shipment of Woolen Gloves and Scarves for Women and Children Received To-day—

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INTERESTING CONCERT

Entertainment Given at Old Victoria Theatre to Aid Oaklands Methodist Church.

At the old Victoria theatre Tuesday night a concert was given in aid of the Oaklands Methodist church. The audience might have been larger, in view of the good programme provided, but if numbers were lacking appreciation compensated the artists for their work. The stage was more comfortably furnished than usual, and the lighting and decorations generally were pretty. In their choice of artists the ladies who organized the undertaking were particularly happy. Mrs. V. Gleason, who is one of the best known of Victoria's reciters, contributed several numbers, each marked by the histrionic ability and keen sense of humor which have characterized the elocutionist's work for many years. "Cagliostro and Cynthia" was her first number, and in the course of the programme were contributed also the incident of "Biddy McInnis and the Photographers," "Abel Dunkel" and "Sack Cloth and Ashes," things making definite claims on the versatility of the elocutionist. Very hearty applause greeted each of her appearances.

In Mrs. Joseph Hinton the audience found another delightful entertainer. Mrs. Hinton has a rich sympathetic soprano, and accompanied at the piano by her husband, she gave very charming interpretations of "Still as the Night" and Goring Thomas' "A Summer Night," encores being demanded in each instance.

The programme was given variety by cornet solos by Gunner G. H. E. Green, who has excellent breath control and gave three or four numbers, among the best of which was "The Death of Nelson." T. Kelway was in fine voice, and gave one of the popular airs from "Martha," and Tosti's "Goodbye," both of which were very cordially received.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

W. R. Wilson, of Seattle, is at the Dominion.

R. J. Pender, of San Francisco, is at the Dominion.

Robert Dalgleish, of Calgary is at the Dominion hotel.

W. Henderson, of Tacoma, is a guest at the Metropolis hotel.

H. Willie, of Vancouver, is staying at the Metropolis hotel.

C. Rea, of Edmonton, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

G. Thompson, of Seattle, is registered at the Metropolis hotel.

Col. H. H. Dobbie, of Maple Bay, is at the Dominion hotel.

A. N. Tuques, of Chicago, has registered at the Empress hotel.

Stanley Kavanagh, of Los Angeles, is at the Dominion hotel.

W. D. Billings, of Kamloops, B. C., is at the Strathcona hotel.

Lieut. A. Pool, of Vernon, B. C., is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

Capt. Bloomquist, of Shawnigan Lake, is at the Dominion hotel.

A. M. Stuart is in from Sooke, and is registered at the Dominion hotel.

E. D. Sheringham, of Mull Bay, is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

M. Albery, of New Westminster, is registered at the Metropolis hotel.

W. G. Everett, of Salt Spring Island, is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

J. M. Addison and J. A. Tanner, of Nanaimo, are guests at the Dominion hotel.

Dr. F. W. Green, of Cranbrook, is arriving yesterday.

Miss J. Carpenter and Mrs. Dalton Woods, of Calgary, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. A. E. Peterson and Miss M. W. Peterson, of Portland, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ilay Mutter are down from Duncan and are guests at the Strathcona hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, of Escondido, B. C., are visiting Victoria and stopping at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. T. Bazett and Miss N. Bazett, of Duncan, are in the city and are staying at the Strathcona hotel.

N. Porteous, R. S. Sweeting, J. C. Dill and J. Sandison are Vancouver visitors staying at the Strathcona hotel.

Miss Grace D. Adams, of Champaign, Ill., and Mrs. W. B. Wilson, of La Fayette, Ind., are guests at the Empress hotel.

Vancouver arrivals at the Dominion hotel include J. O. Williams and Mrs. Williams, C. W. Benton, J. P. Walsh, A. McLennan, C. H. Smart, Thomas Pearson and C. D. Taylor.

R. T. Lowery, editor and financier of the Greenwood Ledger, as he expresses it himself, and a picturesque figure in the journalistic life of the province, is shortly leaving that city to spend the winter in Southern California for the benefit of his health, which has been none too good for some time past.

Hon. H. E. A. Robertson, county court judge of the county of Cariboo,

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The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Nov. 9.—5 a. m.—Since yesterday an ocean storm area has moved to Alberta. It has caused high westerly winds on the straits and sound, heavy snow in Cariboo and considerable rain on the Lower Mainland. Snow is now falling in Alberta and colder weather is general in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.
 For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday. Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong westerly winds, partly cloudy and colder. Lower Mainland—Fresh to strong westerly winds, partly cloudy and colder, with occasional showers.

Reports.
 Victoria—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 49; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, .08; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.36; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 32; wind, 14 miles W.; weather, fair.

Nanaimo (Entrance Is.)—Barometer, 30.32; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 44; wind, 40 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 38; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, .20; weather, raining.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.40; temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 48; wind, 20 miles W.; rain, .42; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.42; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 50; wind, 14 miles S. W.; rain, .02; weather, raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 52; wind, 24 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.34; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 50; wind, 39 miles N. E.; weather, clear.

Temperature. Max. Min.
 Barkerville..... 32 ..
 Grand Forks..... 26 ..
 Pentlon..... 44 ..
 Cranbrook..... 42 ..
 Nelson..... 37 ..
 Prince George..... 24 ..
 Calgary..... 66 24
 Edmonton..... 40 24
 Qu'Appelle..... 34 20
 Winnipeg..... 44 22
 Toronto..... 64 ..
 Ottawa..... 62 ..
 Montreal..... 56 ..
 St. John..... 46 ..
 Halifax..... 32 ..

Victoria Daily Weather.
 Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Wednesday:

Highest..... 52
 Lowest..... 44
 Average..... 48
 Minimum on grass..... 40
 Rain, .02 inch.
 Bright sunshine, 36 minutes.
 General state of weather, cloudy.

WEEKLY WEATHER REPORT.

Victoria Observatory.
 From 1st to 7th November, 1916.

Victoria—Total amount of bright sunshine, 21 hours; rain, 1.91 inch; highest temperature, 52 on 7th and 5th; lowest, 4 on 4th and 6th.

Vancouver—Total amount of bright sunshine, 16 hours and 30 minutes; rain, 2.86

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 Shadow Lace Flouncing, special, a yd., **45c**
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The assortment consists of White and Cream Saxony Finished Flannelette. We strongly recommend these as being exceptional value at a yard **15c**

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Penman's Seamless Cashmere Hose with specially spliced heels and toes. Extra values at a pair, **50c**
 Penman's All-Wool Seamless Cashmere Hose, fashioned in shapely lines in light and medium weight; qualities black and white. Special, a pair **75c**
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"Back and forth, like tennis balls, go the notes between Berlin and Washington," said Senator Borah. "Now one side scores, then the other side comes back and scores in its turn. It's like the doctor and the man with the croup. A man with the croup halted a doctor on a quiet street corner. 'Doctor,' he said, coughing violently, 'what ought a chap to do when he's got the croup?' The doctor's eye emitted a steady light at the thought of being bunked-out of a free prescription, and he said: 'Such a man, my friend, ought to consult a good physician.' 'Thanks, doctor,' said the sufferer, as he took his leave. 'That's what I'll do, then.'"

"Do you realize, John Hays, that you are guilty of contempt of court, sir, and that you may be sent to the chain gang for six months for refusing to go home quietly? I will permit you to join your family if your court conduct shows you worthy of parole. Once again, will you go directly home from here?" The judge was plainly indignant. But Hays merely shivered and stubbornly shook his head. "No, sir." "Am I to understand you prefer jail to home?" his honor demanded. "Have you no conscience?" "It ain't my conscience," Hays replied sadly. "It's my mother-in-law. She dared me to come back."

WOLODIA HORELIK IS WONDERFUL DANCER

Features in "The Gypsy Camp"
at Pantages This Week;
Schepp's Circus Popular

Wolodia Horelik is a real dancer, as the audiences, who are seeing him and his wonderful ballet in "The Gypsy Camp" at the Pantages this week, will testify. He possesses all the nimbleness and grace of the typical Russian dancer, combined with that indescribable abandon and wildness which only the native Russian can put into his tchotchorean efforts. He is a professional in every sense of the word. And just because he is a professional and has made dancing his life's work lies the reason why he cannot appreciate ballroom dancing on this side of the water.

Usually I am obliged to laugh when

"Face ballroom dancing over here," said Horelik yesterday. "I personally, like this form of dancing, although persons trained to ballet work are usually quite unfitted to participate in it. The trouble with dancing in this country, it seems to me, is that any of the dances to which you give the label are not the genuine article. Now the real tango is beautiful. The creation that is called the tango here is a jumble of about a thousand individual opinions of what the tango might be. Consequently it is a far different thing from the real article. Of all the dances I have seen in America, I believe that I prefer what is called the Boston waltz.

"Like all other Russian dancers, I began to study when I was about six years of age," he said. "It isn't safe to wait very long. The life of a dancer, as a dancer, is a short and busy one. Here I am 25 years of age. I expect to dance until I am about 30 and then I shall retire. Legs, heart and lungs will not permit of continuing in the work much beyond that age. In Russia, if we remain there, we are pensioned at 25, like an old government employee; but, if we go away, as so many of us have done, we must shift for ourselves in later life and the government relinquishes all claims upon us. But think of the pay! If one remains there! Why, it may be a surprise to Americans to learn that a dancer like Pavlova, Kordkin or Nijinsky, who have such celebrated reputations in this country and Europe, receive about \$200 a month in their native country. It takes a pretty good dancer in Russia to get \$100 a month. In America—well, it's different over here, and if we work here for a few years we get more money than our salary and old-age pension combined would amount to in Russia."

Horelik and his Imperial Russian dancers are one of the features in a bill of many good acts at Pantages this week. The headline attraction is Schepp's Dog, Pony and Monkey Circus, which is attracting a great deal of attention throughout the city. The little bucking black pony, which enjoys a reputation for being hard to ride, has found a challenger for Friday night, which was set aside for ladies only. One lady at least has declared that she will try for the prize money provided she conceal her identity with a mask. This has been agreed to. Many of the children of the city who are keen to see this fine animal act are wisely coming to the performance early in the week. In this way they avoid the big crush for Saturday matinee. The management is making special arrangements, however, for the week-end crowds.

An interesting but little-known relic of Old London stands in a garden on the outskirts of Ware—no less than one of the pillars of old Blackfriars bridge. The grounds in which the column stands were once the property of Robert Mylne, the architect, who made a point of collecting relics of the different structures with which his name was associated, and of these the old pillar is about the only one now remaining. In order to protect the relic from decay a special clause has been inserted in the lease of the premises binding the tenant to keep it free from ivy or other parasitic growths.—London Chronicle.



W. Horelik presents the Imperial Russian dancers at the Pantages this week in a wonderful dancing divertissement.

PLAY OF KENTUCKY FEUD AT COLUMBIA

"Apostle of Vengeance" Will
Be Presented for Balance
of Week

The story, the stars and the scenic effects of "The Apostle of Vengeance," a play of the Kentucky feuds, is splendidly portrayed by William S. Hart and his strong supporting cast at the Columbia for to-day, to-morrow and Saturday. Mr. Hart impersonates the character of David Hudson.

The feud of the Hudsons has been killed. Of course the sons send for David at once, as he is the oldest of them all. Much to their surprise and to the surprise of every one else in the hill country Hudson does not immediately take up a gun and go hunting for his father's slayer. Instead he preaches the word of God. Mary McCoy has learned to love the man although he is a member of the family which she is supposed to hate. There comes a time when David Hudson rises in righteous indignation and gun in hand starts out to collect a little vengeance of his own accord. He comes upon the individual whom he expects to kill and then there comes the intervening finger of God. "Vengeance is mine. I will repay."

And so the hatred of a quarter of a century withers away and David Hudson and Mary McCoy are seen arm in arm by the mountain people.

The comedy of the week is "Ambrose's Cup of Woe," with MacSwaine

dishing out the laughs.

Also on the same bill is Charlie Chaplin in "The Pawnshop." Bring the children. Special matinee Saturday afternoon for the little ones.



CHARLIE CHAPLIN

Who appears in a two-reel comedy at the Columbia theatre for balance of week.

Travelers in Germany must leave their thumb-print upon their passports; we sincerely hope that after the war no German will be allowed to leave his dirty thumb-print on any scrap of paper what-soever.

CANADIAN STAR IN "THE REGENERATION"

Will Be Seen at Royal Victoria
on Friday and
Saturday

Rockliffe Fellowes, who plays the leading part in "The Regeneration," which is the attraction at the Royal Victoria Friday and Saturday only, has had a remarkable career. Mr. Fellowes hails from Ottawa, where he was a clerk of one of the leading banks in that city. He is still a young man, not yet thirty years of age. Mr. Fellowes belonged to a dramatic club in his home city, and his acting attracted more than passing attention. Gifted with a handsome face and a magnificent athletic body, he attracted attention. After forsaking the bank for the stage, his rise was rapid. In within a couple of seasons he was playing the leading part in a Broadway success and as a Broadway matinee idol.

His first picture work is in "The Regeneration," and he has fulfilled every expectation held when he was first engaged. In "The Regeneration," Mr. Fellowes is cast as Owen Conway, and this character gives wide scope for his excellent and unusual histrionic abilities.

LITTLE VIOLA DANA AT THE DOMINION

Newest Metro Star Will Appear
for Balance of This
Week

Little Viola Dana, the newest Metro star, and an artist of rare dramatic ability, will be seen here at the Dominion theatre to-day, to-morrow and Saturday in the Metro-Columbia wonder-play "The Flower of No Man's Land." This is a five-part feature written especially for Miss Dana by John H. Collins, who also directed its production. She is surrounded by a strong supporting cast, including Duncan MacRae, the well-known English dramatic actor, Mitchell Lewis, Fred Jones, Harry C. Brown, Nellie Grant Mitchell, Eldine Stewart, Marcus Moriarly, and other well-known stage and screen artists.

The story of "The Flower of No Man's Land" deals with a baby called "Echo," who is left an orphan, when her father, a miner, is robbed and killed in his hut. She is brought up by "Kahoma," a good Indian, and loved by "Big Bill," a rough, but tender hearted miner. Roy Talbot, an opera singer, who loses his voice, is directed to go west. His stage coach is overturned and he is severely injured near "Echo's" cabin. Before his recovery he falls in love with the little girl and they are married. Soon after he returns east "Echo" learns that he is already married, and has a wife and baby. Besides, he has an affair with another woman. With her faith broken, "Echo" returns to her native west where "Big Bill" receives her. "Kahoma" carries out his vow to seek vengeance upon the opera singer, if he ever mistreated his ward. The story is told upon the screen in a new way, and there are scores of big scenes produced on an elaborate scale.

EDNA GOODRICH AT VARIETY THEATRE

Appearing in Photoplay, "The
House of Lies," for
Three Days

"The House of Lies" the Morosco-Paramount photoplay at the Variety theatre to-day, to-morrow and Saturday sets forth this problem: Edna Coleman is the step-daughter of a society matron who candidly explains that she intends to exploit her daughter's beauty in the marriage market. The marriage market, with its shallow veneer of modern dress and modern manners, but with an amazing similarity of spirit to the old "slave market," only perhaps a little competition. What will the socially restricted debutante do when she finds it is to the handsome young dramatist that she is to be displayed? To the love she prefers to meet above all others, what will his opinion be of her whom he meets in this manner?

But there is a way that sets all the tangle right and Edna Goodrich playing the starring role finds that only in a great sacrifice is the clear path that leads to happiness.

"ALADDIN" TO BE PRESENTED NEXT WEEK

F. Stuart-Whyte's Production
Will Hold Boards at
Princess Theatre

Victoria is to have its first English pantomime this fall, when the well known author-manager, F. Stuart Whyte, presents his elaborate production of "Aladdin and his Wonderful Lamp," at the Princess theatre on November 12. With all of its scenes laid in China and its characters Chinese, the costumes and settings admit of lavish investiture and a predominance of picturesque color schemes.

There is also another not-to-be-overlooked advantage in having the action supposedly take place in China. Many things happen in the land poppy that could not possibly happen anywhere else on the face of the globe. For instance, in the 1916-17 version of "Aladdin" there is a General Sam Fuse, in command of the Chinese army, who is responsible for many things, including laughs. Then there is the emperor and the grand vizier, who, together with a select few political henchmen endeavor to clean out the imperial exchequer, and even strive to make profit out of the munitions of war, such as knives, chop sticks, flags and rockets, at the expense of the imperial Chinese government. Of course this is very wrong and the malefactors are severely punished by having the crystals on their wrist watches fractured in three places.

However, there are two honest hearts in China, the possessors of them being Aladdin and the Princess So-Shi. The pantomime is in five acts, or scenes, and will be presented here by a company of 25 distinguished artists, not to forget the perfect beauty chorus. Miss Zara Clinton will be seen in the title role. Billy Oswald has the leading comedy part, General Sam Fuse, and Harry Hoyland will appear in his greatest character creation, the Widow Twankey, a part which he has played many seasons in England.



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MANY COAST STARS MAKE GOOD SHOWING

Players Sent to Majors From Big Southern Circuit Clutch Jobs

A little more than six months ago an even dozen former Pacific Coast league players hied themselves southward and eastward to join camps of major league clubs. When the National and American league seasons closed, all but two of these 12 players were in the big brush, and all ten had made good. With ten players out of twelve sticking in the big show, coast magnates have a reason to be proud of the class of baseball that is played here in the west. And not only did ten players make up for the two who were sent back, three more went up in the middle of the season and stuck.

Here are the former Pacific Coast and Northwestern League players who went up to the big show last spring and made good, as follows:

Claude Williams, left-handed pitcher, Salt Lake to Chicago White Sox; regular.

Joe Gideon, second baseman, Salt Lake to New York Yankees; utility.

Slim Love, left-handed pitcher, Los Angeles to New York Yankees; regular.

James Johnston, outfielder, Oakland to Brooklyn Nationals; utility and pinch hitter.

Harry Heilmann, first baseman, Portland Northwestern club, San Francisco to Detroit Tigers; regular part of season.

Fred McMullin, infielder, Los Angeles to Chicago White Sox; regular first baseman part of season, then utility and pinch hitter.

Zebulon Terry, infielder, Los Angeles to Chicago White Sox; regular.

Jack Ness, first baseman, Oakland to Chicago White Sox; regular.

Joe Wilhoit, outfielder, Victoria to Northwestern club and Vernon to Boston Braves; regular.

Walter Schmidt, catcher, San Francisco to Detroit; regular.

Byrd Lynn, catcher, Salt Lake to Chicago White Sox; utility.

Two catchers, Hack Spencer and Ruddy Elliott, went up in the middle of the season. Spencer went from Vernon to the Detroit Tigers and made good. Elliott went from Oakland to the Chicago Cubs and also made good. Both are regulars. Louis Gilsto, first baseman, went from Portland to Cleveland and made good.

JOE LOOMIS MADE CREDITABLE SHOWING

Finished First in Five Events; Relay Team Won All Races

New York, Nov. 9.—The showing of the American five-man track and field team at the recent meets held throughout Scandinavia demonstrated that the United States athletes are still able to compete successfully against the best performers of Europe. During the contests abroad the team selected by the Amateur Athletic Union took part in seven meets, entering one or more men in forty-nine events. Without a single exception the American athletes finished among the first three.

Fred Murray, of the Olympic Club, of San Francisco, took part in thirteen events, including hurdles, sprints, jump and shotput, in addition to running on the relay team, and his record shows that he won three firsts, six seconds and three thirds. Joe Loomis, of the Chicago A. A., specialized in the sprints and jumps, winning five firsts, one second and one third in seven starts. Robert Simpson, of the Missouri Agricultural College track team, completed eleven times in the hurdles, sprints and broad jumps and was first four times, second four times and third three times.

Meredit, formerly of the University of Pennsylvania, winning seven middle-distance races, starting two, being second in three and finishing third in two. Andy Ward, of the Chicago A. A., started four times and wound up with a record of two firsts, one second and one third. The relay team, consisting of Loomis, Murray, Simpson and Ward, won every one of the seven races in which it competed. The record of the athletes follows:

Name	Events	1st	2nd	3rd
Loomis	7	5	1	1
Simpson	11	4	4	3
Murray	13	3	6	4
Meredit	7	2	3	2
Ward	4	2	1	1
Relay team	7	7	0	0

FRANK NASON BACK IN THE GAME AGAIN

The consent of the B. C. Electric Co. has been obtained to hold next Saturday's rugby match between the V. I. A. A. and the Ontario in the Oak Bay grounds, and it is expected that a large number of rugby enthusiasts will take advantage of the opportunity of witnessing the first game which has been played in Victoria for the past two seasons. Many of the old stars of the game who are still in the city have signified their intention of turning out for the game. The latest to intimate that he would be on hand on Saturday is Frank Nason, the well known local star.

The pessimist—"The best look anyone can have is never to have been born; but that seldom happens to anyone."

VETERAN NET GUARDIAN



HUGH LEHMAN

The star goal-tender of the Vancouver Millionaires, who is expected back on the coast again this winter.

CHANGE IN GOTHAM BOXING AFFAIRS

Johnston, Madison Square Magnate, to Be Deposed in Favor of Tex Rickard

New York, Nov. 9.—Jimmy Johnston, who has had so much to do with boxing bouts at Madison Square Garden that his name has come to be a synonym for the big enclosure, is just about ready to take his seat on the greased skids. Edward E. McCall, who is receiver for the Garden, expects to come to terms with Tex Rickard and Samuel McCracken, promoters extraordinary, and these two will come into active charge of all bouts at the Garden.

McCall has announced he is going to depose Johnston as matchmaker for the show corporation, lessee of the Garden Athletic Club and it is all because Johnston did not want to make an accounting to the liking of McCall. Also, McCall is displeased because Johnston didn't go through with the Moha-Welner bout, which caused the boxing commission to order a suspension of the Garden shows and to fine the Garden A. C. \$1,000.

McCracken and Rickard, when they sign the papers, are going to inherit the Moha-Welner affair, whether they want it or not, and it will be the first bout to be staged in the Garden.

Rickard and McCracken are understood to have promised that they will stage this match and some say that they even have agreed to pay part of the fine assessed against the Garden Athletic Club.

Before Rickard and McCracken can stage their bouts they will have to go through the motions of organizing an athletic club and will have to apply for a license at the boxing commission. Jimmy Johnston is apt to make a fuss when this time arrives, as it is understood his contract for the conduct of Garden bouts has another year to run. He is now in disfavor with the boxing commission because he failed to show up at a meeting of the commission in response to a subpoena.

McCracken and Rickard have been associated for many years in various ventures, among them being the monster affair at Reno in 1910, when Jack Johnson won the heavyweight title from James J. Jeffries. Rickard and McCracken started the pugilistic world by offering a purse of \$101,000 for this bout and coming out of it with a huge profit. It was Rickard also who staged the bout at Goldfield, Nevada, between Joe Gans and Battling Nelson, offering a purse that in those days was considered ridiculous.

The fight attracted an enormous crowd and Rickard was a big winner. His last effort was the Willard-Moran bout, in which he was associated with McCracken and which netted him a large profit. Rickard's long record of promoting bouts shows not one unsuccessful affair.

Rickard is said to be contemplating a match between Charley Welner, local heavyweight, and Jess Willard, for the heavyweight championship. Johnston has been trying to arrange a bout between Frank Moran and Fred Fulton, but this bout is now considered definitely off. Ike Dorgan, manager of Moran, has wired terms for such a bout to Harry Sherman, of St. Paul, and an attempt is being made to stage it on Thanksgiving Day.

Y. M. C. A. BASKETBALL

The Y. M. C. A. senior basketball team defeated the First Presbyterian team in Y. M. C. A. house league fixture last night by a score of 44 to 23. The winners led at half-time 21 to 12, and were never headed. The Presbyterians were minus the services of two of their regular players and were not able to do themselves full justice.

An opera lover, complaining of the latecomers who annoy "those who come early, not wishing to miss a single note" but that about those who, at the intervals never miss a single note?

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MINORS ARE PRIMED FOR ANNUAL MEETING

Small Time Magnates Will Have Many Suggestions to Make at New Orleans

New York, Nov. 9.—Bent on doing several things to the national agreement, primed with suggestions of many sorts, broken in pocketbook, but not in spirit, the minor league baseball magnates of the country begin to step into the limelight. They are on their way to New Orleans, where they will open their annual meeting next Tuesday.

The minor leagues have been in a bad way for a long time and many a bush town mogul has been spending his nights without sleep trying to figure out a plan whereby baseball can be made to pay in the smaller cities of the country. Nearly every one of them has planned some sort of a suggestion and the air at New Orleans is going to be full of them.

Re-districting plans are part of the rumors flying around regarding reorganization of the small circuits. These reorganizations as planned call for splits in present circuits that are almost unbelievable. Drastic measures will be suggested and there are some magnates who believe at least a part of them will be adopted.

The minors feel they haven't been getting the right sort of treatment, and they want some changes in the national board for submission at the New Orleans meeting.

The minors—some of them—want representation on the national commission, and this is another question that will get lots of attention.

NEW MAJOR LEAGUE IS A POSSIBILITY

Third Circuit May Be Formed Including International and A. A. Clubs

New York, Nov. 9.—The Evening Sun says that plans have been laid by the board managers of the two major baseball leagues for the formation of a third big league circuit. It is intended to combine the best cities in the International League and the American Association. The new league, it is stated, will take in Toronto, Buffalo, Baltimore, Milwaukee, Louisville, Indianapolis and Toledo.

The new organization, according to present plans, will not be subject to the draft rule, and may have a representative on the national commission.

The National Association of Minor Leagues will convene at New Orleans on November 14, and delegates from big and little clubs in all parts of the United States and Canada will discuss plans for the building up of the sport outside of the major leagues.

With Ban Johnson standing sponsor for the proposed circuit, it is believed by the magnates that that organization will be perfected and that Edward G. Barrow will be elected president.

Lady authors are increasing twice as quickly as male authors; this must be the reason why domestic servants are so difficult to obtain.

Since 1880 Austria had no war experience till the present; and we may add that after this fight is over Austria won't want any more of it.

P.C.H.A. MAY MEET NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

Lichenhein Wants Five Hundred Dollars for Release of Gordon Roberts

Pacific Coast hockey moguls will hold their annual meeting in Vancouver on Friday morning next if Ed. Savage, of Portland, and Lester Patrick, the Spokane pilot, are able to make the jump that day. Frank Patrick, president of the Pacific Coast Hockey Association, has received a wire from Frank Calder, secretary of the National Hockey Association, advising him that the agreement signed by the eastern body had been mailed from Montreal on Saturday and should reach Vancouver on Thursday night. At their gathering in Vancouver the Coast officials will formally ratify the agreement, elect their officers and draft the season's schedule. The opening match will be played on Friday, December 1, at Portland, the second game here on the following night between the Vancouver and Seattle clubs.

The deal for Gordon Roberts, the sensational forward of the Montreal Wanderers, who is now a practicing physician in New Westminster, is still hanging fire, according to President Patrick. Sammy Lichenhein, the Wanderer owner, wants \$500 for the player's release. Lichenhein is looking at the proposition from a reasonable commercial standpoint. Roberts graduated from McGill a year ago and immediately removed to New Westminster, where he is following his profession. Lichenhein has no desire to stand in his way or to place any obstacles in his path so far as hockey is concerned, but he realizes that Roberts is one of the big stars of hockey and thinks that a \$500 purchase fee is a reasonable one. President Patrick has the matter under consideration and it will be discussed at the annual meeting of the Coast League this week. In the event of Lichenhein refusing to recede from his present position it is not improbable that the Coasters will ask for similar prices or more for the release of Art Duncan, the former Vancouver player, who is now with the 22nd Battalion team of Toronto, and for Eddie Outman, the Portland star, whom the eastern battalion is now after. This club, being a member of the N. H. A., comes under the new agreement and is subject to the same conditions contained therein.

Pollock Silent.

New York, Nov. 9.—Scotty Menzies, manager of Johnny Dundee, has made public an offer of \$15,000 he says he made Harry Pollock for a twenty-round decision bout between Dundee and Freddie Welsh, the light weight champion. Pollock has refused to comment on the offer.

FOOTBALL DAYS OVER.

T. Barber, the Aston Villa player, who since his enlistment several times turned out for Clapton Orient, and who was one of the early recruits of the Footballers' Battalion, was wounded in the leg in the recent British advance on the Somme. He is now in an Aberdeen hospital, and the news as to his progress is reassuring, but it is feared that his football days are over.

"Why did you call your place a bungalow?" asked Johnson of his neighbor. "Well," said the neighbor, "the job was a bungle, and I still owe for it."

Lady Teacher—"Who can make a sentence with the word 'grubsome' in it?" Little Willie—"I can." The man stopped shaving and "grubsome" whiskers.

PITTSBURG PLACE FOR THE SENATORS

Looks Like Better City for Clarke Griffiths' Club Than Brooklyn

Those who are busy sending the Washington Senators to Brooklyn are overlooking the logical town for that hapless American league team, says the Brooklyn Eagle. If Clark Griffith and his band are to be taken away from the national capital, they will in all probability be sent to Pittsburgh, which is an ideal place for continuous baseball, as the Smoky City fans have no other sporting attractions during the summer. Barney Dreyfuss has one of the finest ball parks in either circuit, and could easily be induced to rent it to the American league when the Pirates are on the road.

It is altogether probable that the three major league clubs in Greater

MAY BE A BREAK IN MAJOR LEAGUES

McGraw Case Likely Cause Rupture Between National and American

New York would oppose placing a fourth team there, and a single vote against such a proposition would kill it. The agreement between the National and American leagues is that no change in the circuits of either can be made without unanimous vote of the sixteen clubs.

It is almost certain that the New York Yankees would make strenuous objections to any proposition to bring the Washington or any other American league club to Brooklyn. They have the best of the schedule at present. For example, this season they had no opposition on 12 playing days, while the Giants had six or more conflicting dates. Brooklyn on the other hand, had opposition on practically every day they played, either from the Giants or the Yankees.

Two clubs in Pittsburgh would not interfere with each other. The only difficulty would be in the arrangement of the schedule of the American league, as Pittsburgh would be considered an eastern city, whereas it is in the western section of the National league. That could be easily adjusted, however, as the Smoky City is the pivotal burg and can be reached over night from anywhere.

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PRESBYTERIANS SIGN CHURCH COVENANT

Union Opponents Now Organizing; Victoria Meeting Hears Report of Convocation

"It is up to us to take hold of this situation and make our church a power in the land, so that from the Atlantic to the Pacific she will contribute to the national life and social righteousness which will save Canada for Christ."

With these final words of adjuration Rev. Dr. Fraser, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Vancouver, and one of the delegates to convocation last month in Toronto, closed his summary of impressions of the memorable gathering which so recently pledged itself by standing vote to a covenant which is intended for the perpetuation and strengthening of the Presbyterian church in Canada.

The meeting which he was addressing was in the King's Daughters' hall, Courtney street, and was the first of many meetings which are to be held in the interests of the anti-union movement in Victoria. Dr. Fraser's description of the historic gathering in Toronto under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church Association was intended more for the purpose of giving some impression of the spirit of the meeting than to record the actual business accomplished. He had gone as a delegate somewhat reluctantly. He had been pastor for twenty-eight years and had only once attended a session of the General Assembly. That gathering had pre-disposed him to avoid such conferences. To his astonishment when he got to St. Andrew's church, Toronto, where the convention was in session, he found the building packed, with ten or twelve hundred people in the congregation, and an underpulse of emotion, solemnity, and determination without anger which could be felt the moment one entered the hall.

The speaker recalled that he had been

put on a committee slated to report a suitable name for the convocation. "The Defence" had been rejected; the committee maintained that the Presbyterian church had nothing to be on the defence for. "The Preservation" was another phrase thrown out. The church was flourishing, and the suggestion that convocation was gathered to preserve it was untimely.

Laymen's Protest.

It was not a meeting of old Presbyterians, as someone had said. The old men were not in the majority. It had, in fact, given them great satisfaction to see so many young ministers anxious to carry on the traditions of the Presbyterian church, so many who were downright earnest and filled with enthusiasm and zeal. It was obvious too that ecclesiastics were not dominating the movement. It was a layman's protest to the action of the clerics. And the meeting took the attitude that the so-called Unionists were in reality dis-Unionists, opposed to the peace and unity of the church. On the other hand, no one could say that they were a body gathered to oppose union. Those who favored merging the Presbyterian with the Methodist and Congregational churches were spoken of consistently in the most kindly way, only a spirit of regret at their decision being expressed.

Dr. Fraser replied to the criticism that the holding of such a convocation was rebellion. "Which General Assembly are we to stand by?" he asked. "The one of 1912, which found 21 per cent. of the members who voted opposed to the proposed union, or the one of 1916, which acted in the face of the positive protest of a number of oppositionists to union?"

"It was not going to introduce into the Presbyterian church such a spirit of submission to authority as that it is because the spirit rampant in the Presbyterian church is one which lives side by side with the consciousness of the value of the liberty of the people. I maintain there was no spirit of rebellion. It was a convocation of men who conscientiously stood for the principles of a church polity and doctrine that has been handed down to us for generations."

"It was not until the Presbyterian church began to take first place in the Dominion of Canada that the talk of union began," reminded Dr. Fraser. Any man of sentiment or imagination could not be content to see a church with such a splendid past, such a splendid present, merged with any other.

"Time and again the audience was moved into that deeper seriousness brought only from communion with God. In a humble seeking after guidance from the Heavenly Father that audience made its supplication for help. The climax for that was surely reached when the covenant was read. No one can convey to you the awfulness of that moment when we stood together, emotion manifest and visible, the crisis felt being the separation of our brethren from the church which they loved."

Methodists' Self Respect. "If the Methodist church has any respect for itself it will not be a party to any union such as has been contemplated," declared Dr. Fraser in summing up. The spirit of the convocation which he had just attended demonstrated beyond doubt that the feeling of Presbyterians was on the matter.

Rev. R. A. Macdonnell, of St. Columba church, Oak Bay, Victoria's

delegate to the convention, reported formally to the meeting of the proceedings, and reviewed some of the leading addresses which had been given. In these were set out the main arguments of the Presbyterian Church Association for organizing themselves in a firm stand to oppose the union movement which had been precipitated at the last meeting of the general assembly. The Presbyterian church had fought for its liberty and had a tradition and sentiment which gave it a spirit which could not merge without losing its potential power. The Unionists, another speaker had maintained, had no flag to wave. They were a body with traditions, without forbears. They had passed through no sacrifice.

The generous offer of Mr. Penman to support an anti-union paper was mentioned, and the value of such a medium of expression to Presbyterians had been generally appreciated by convocation.

"Possibly the most touching scene in the course of the whole gathering was that which came when the congregation went forward to sign the covenant," said Mr. Macdonnell, who said that the committee which represented Victoria were to be congratulated on the resolution that they had forwarded to Toronto, as this, so conclusively setting forth the reasons of Victoria Presbyterians to their opposition to church union, with very few changes became the basis of the resolution that was submitted by the committee to the convocation.

In conclusion Mr. Macdonnell read the covenant, the text of which has already been published in the press.

Extinction Not Justified.

Rev. Dr. Leslie Clay, who presided, summed up by saying that the resolution declared it to be their duty and intended to continue the Presbyterian church. The circumstances of the present, the conditions of the past, did not justify the blotting out of the Presbyterian church at this time, although circumstances might arise which would lead them to a different decision.

Rev. Dr. Fraser urged organization in each locality. If they failed to put their sentiment into definite organization they would lose and the union movement would go through. Local, then provincial, organization should be formulated.

At the close of the meeting about forty of those present signed the covenant.

WANTS RECEIVER APPOINTED AT ONCE

Application in Pacific Coast Coal Mines Set Over Till To-morrow

An application to have a receiver appointed at once in the case of Miss Arbuthnot vs. the Pacific Coast Coal Mines was made this morning before Mr. Justice Clement in supreme court chambers, and was adjourned until to-morrow morning.

In asking for the order H. G. S. Heisterman stated that when an application was made recently before Mr. Justice Gregory, an order was made providing that in case the company failed to put up proper security before November 20 a receiver would be appointed. Since then an English debenture holder named Jefferson had put in a sheriff to sell the assets of the company on Saturday of this week. In order to stop the sale it was necessary that a receiver be appointed at once, and that was the reason why the application was being brought. Mr. Justice Gregory was unable to take the chambers applications because he was the assize judge. The sheriff was advertising the sale under a judgment secured by Jefferson, one of the minor debenture holders, for \$125,000. The application was really one to shorten the time under which a receiver could be appointed.

D. M. Eberts, K. C., appeared on behalf of the Pacific Coast Coal Mines, asked for an adjournment until to-morrow morning when W. J. Taylor, K. C., who has been acting for the other side, also was out of town. His clients were just as anxious as Miss Arbuthnot to have the property of the company protected. The attack was being made by a small set of debenture holders.



NEW BOOKS

The following new books have just been received at the Public Library:

FICTION.

Benson, Edward Frederic—Mike. 1916.
Beresford, John Davis—A trilogy consisting of: Early history of Jacob Stahl, 1911; candidate for truth, 1912; invisible event, 1915.
Brown, Alice—Prisoner. 1916.
Dallas, Oswald—God's child. 1916.
De Quincey, Thomas—Klosterheim and other stories. 1897.
Frensen, Gustav—Three comrades. 1907. Gift.
Kaye-Smith, Sheila—Three against the world. 1914.
Lawson, Henry Hertzberg—While the billy boils. 1896.
Onions, Oliver—Good boy Seldom, a romance of advertisement. 1911. Gift.
Oxenham, John—Rising fortunes.
Pickthall, Marmaduke—Said the fisherman. 1903.
Stewart, John A.—Rock of the ravens. 1912.
Street, George Slynthe—Autobiography of a boy. 1894.
Wells, Herbert George—Mr. Britling sees it through. 1916.
Zangwill, Israel—Dreamers of the Ghetto. 1906.

PHILOSOPHY.

Delance, Gabriel—Evidence for a future life. 1904. 13.5-D35v.
Feli, P. R. S.—Fortune telling by cards. 183.8-F66fo.

SOCIOLOGY.

Deane, R. Burton—Mounted police life in Canada; a record of thirty-one years' service. 1916. 351.7-D28mo.
Jones, William—Finger-ring lore. 1877. 391.7-J77fo.
Neilson, Francis—How diplomats make war. 1916. 327-N41ho.
Schild, Marie, ed.—Old English costumes; ladies and peasants. 391-S33ol.

USEFUL ARTS.

Foster, Horatio A.—Central station bookkeeping and suggested forms, with an appendix for street railways. 1894. 657-F75ce.
Heaton, John—Routledge's enlarged ready reckoner containing 135,000 calculations showing the value of any number of articles at 750 prices from one-third of a penny to a pound, with tables of sixteenths and eighths of a penny ounces and nails, grains and lbs. 511.8-H425o.
Lewis, Percy G.—Nursing, its theory and practice. 1899. 610.73-L67nu. Gift.
Price, W. L., and Johnson, W. M.—Home building and furnishing. 1903. 645-P93ho. Gift.
Schultz, C. W. H.—Universal dollar tables. 1874. 511.8-S33un.

FINE ARTS.

Cobbett, Martin—Swimming. 756.8-C65aw. Gift.
Dewhurst, Wynford—Impressionist painting: its genesis and development. Illus. 1904. Ref. 759.9-D52im.
Harrison, John—Decorations of metals. 1894. 740-H31de.
Oberthur, Charles—Theoretical and practical course of instruction for the harp. 787.6-O12th.
Stephens, W. P.—Canoe and boat building. 1884. 797.16-S83ca. Gift.
Woodgate, Walter Bradford—Rowing and sculling. 1889. 797.11-W88ro. Gift.

TRAVEL.

Burry, B. Pullen—Jamaica as it is. 1903. 917.292-B97ja.
Melville, Herman—Narrative of a four months' residence among the natives of a valley of the Marquesas Islands; or a peep at Polynesian life. 1846. 919.63-M52na.

BIOGRAPHY.

Davies, William H.—Autobiography of a tramp. With a preface by Bernard Shaw. 1911. B-D257d.
Protheroe, Ernest—Noble woman; the life-story of Edith Cavell. 1916. B-C378p.

HISTORY.

Doroshévich, V. M.—Way of the cross, with an introductory note by Stephen Graham. 1914. 940.9-D71wa.
Kingleke, Alexander William—Invasion of the Crimea; its origin and an account of its progress down to the death of Lord Raglan. 9 vols. 1888. 942.08-K54.
Rusden, G. W.—History of New Zealand. 3 vols. 1895. 993.1-R54hl.
Zangwill, Israel—War for the world. 1916. 940.9-Z29wa.

JUVENILE BOOKS

Fiction.

Bell, Robert Stanley Warren—Green at Greyhouse; a tale of adventure and mystery at a public school. 1911. juv.
Farrar, Frederick William—Eric, or Little by little; a tale for Roselynn school. 1905. juv.
Farrar, Frederick William—Julian Home, a tale of college life. 1910. juv.
Shaw, Frank H.—With Jellie in the North Sea. 1916. juv.
Verné, Jules—On the track. juv. Gift.

JUVENILE BOOKS

Non-Fiction.

Chandler, Christine, and Wood, Eric—My book of beautiful legends. 1908. C48my.
Christopher Columbus and the Discovery of America; compiled from authoritative sources. 1896. JB-C72a. (Altemus' young people's library.) Gift.

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FAST ATLANTIC SERVICE.

P. A. Franklin, vice-president of the International Mercantile Marine corporation is reported to have stated recently that the war has developed the necessity for a line of fast steamships in the Trans-Atlantic service, and that the company is ready to build four 25-horsepower turbine steamships of 32,000 to 35,000 tons each. Two of these, it is said, will be ordered in the United States and two in Belfast, Ireland.

SALVAGE IS CLAIMED.

The United Steamship Company, operating the head line between England and Canada, is claiming \$25,000 in the Montreal Admiralty court for services rendered in salvaging the steamer Fremont which grounded on Anticosti island August 1 last.

TANKER BELIDGE COMING.

The tank steamer Belridge, is due off here Nov. 22, on her first trip with fuel oil between Port San Luis and Vancouver.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of November, 1916.

	Sunrise	Sunset
Hour Min.	Hour Min.	Hour Min.
Nov. 8	7 11	4 41
Nov. 9	7 12	4 41
Nov. 10	7 14	4 41
Nov. 11	7 15	4 41
Nov. 12	7 17	4 41
Nov. 13	7 19	4 41
Nov. 14	7 20	4 41
Nov. 15	7 22	4 41
Nov. 16	7 23	4 41
Nov. 17	7 25	4 41
Nov. 18	7 27	4 41
Nov. 19	7 29	4 41
Nov. 20	7 31	4 41
Nov. 21	7 33	4 41
Nov. 22	7 35	4 41
Nov. 23	7 37	4 41
Nov. 24	7 39	4 41
Nov. 25	7 41	4 41
Nov. 26	7 43	4 41
Nov. 27	7 45	4 41
Nov. 28	7 47	4 41
Nov. 29	7 49	4 41
Nov. 30	7 51	4 41

The Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B. C.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Shidzuoka Maru	Noma	4,672	Gt. Northern	Hongkong	Nov. 10
Hawaii Maru	Kanao	5,980	R. P. R.	Hongkong	Nov. 12
Imperial Maru	Higo	5,844	Gt. Northern	Kobe	Nov. 12
Imperial Maru	Black	6,526	Doddwell & Co.	Hongkong	Nov. 14
Imperial Maru	Phillips	4,921	C. P. R.	Sydney	Nov. 16
Imperial Maru	Robinson	5,739	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Nov. 18

DEEP SEA DEPARTURES

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	For	Due
Protestilus	Breithwaite	6,118	Doddwell & Co.	Hongkong	Nov. 10
Inaba Maru	Higo	5,844	Gt. Northern	Kobe	Nov. 12
Shidzuoka Maru	Noma	4,672	Gt. Northern	Hongkong	Nov. 12
Imperial Maru	Black	6,526	Doddwell & Co.	Hongkong	Nov. 14

COASTWISE SERVICES

For Vancouver		For Prince Rupert	
Steamer Princess Victoria leaves daily at 3 p. m., and steamer Princess Mary or Alice daily at 11.45 p. m.		Steamer Prince George Mondays, 10 a. m.	
Steamer Princess George leaves Mondays, 10 a. m.		From Prince Rupert	
From Vancouver		Steamer Prince George Sundays, 7 a. m.	
Steamer Princess Charlotte arrives daily at 1.30 p. m., and steamer Princess Mary or Alice at 5.30 a. m.		For Comox	
For San Francisco		Steamer Charmer leaves every Tuesday a. m.	
Steamer Governor, Nov. 10.		From Comox	
From San Francisco		Steamer Charmer arrives every Sunday	
Steamer President, Nov. 13.		For Skagway	
For Seattle		Steamer Prince Rupert leaves Vancouver Thursdays, 11 p. m.	
Steamer Princess Charlotte leaves daily at 4.30 p. m.		From Skagway	
Steamer Princess George leaves Sundays, 10 a. m.		Steamer Prince Rupert arrives Vancouver Thursdays, 6 p. m.	
From Seattle		For Holberg	
Steamer Princess Victoria arrives daily at 1 p. m.		Steamer Tees leaves on 1st and 20th of each month.	
For Port Angeles		From Holberg	
Steamer Sol Duc leaves daily except Sunday at 11.30 a. m.		Steamer Tees arrives on 5th and 25th of each month.	
From Port Angeles		For Clayoquot	
Steamer Sol Duc arrives daily except Sunday at 7 a. m.		Steamer Tees leaves on 10th of each month.	
		From Clayoquot	
		Steamer Tees arrives on 13th of each month.	

ANOTHER HARRISON STEAMER SENT DOWN

Statesman, Former Trader
Here, Reported Sunk by
German Submarine

London advices report the sinking on Monday of the British steamship Statesman, one of the largest vessels in the Harrison fleet. This marks the destruction of the second Harrison ship by submarine within two months, the Counselor having been sunk in September 24, when en route from Victoria to the United Kingdom.

The Statesman is well known at this port, as she was formerly one of the regular traders between Liverpool and the North Pacific coast in the Harrison Direct Line service. She has not been on this coast since the outbreak of war. When hostilities broke out she was requisitioned by the British government.

No details of the destruction of the Statesman have been received by Balfour, Guthrie & Co., general agents for the Harrison Direct Line on this coast. The vessel was last here in 1913. It will be remembered that when the Statesman was steaming up the coast, after leaving San Francisco for Victoria, in the spring of 1913, she collided with the American schooner John D. Spreckels to the north of the Golden Gate, sending the sailing vessel to the bottom. The crew of the sunken schooner were taken aboard the Statesman and brought to this port.

The sinking of the Statesman increases the Harrison Line's war losses to 11 ships, all sent to the bottom by German submarines or piratical raiders. Despite the heavy toll taken from the fleet, the line has maintained its service between London, Glasgow and Liverpool and British Columbia without a break. It is the only company that has maintained an uninterrupted service to this coast via the Atlantic since the outbreak of the war. When the Panama canal was closed by slides, the vessels were sent to Victoria via the Straits of Magellan. They returned to the Panama canal route last spring when the big ditch resumed operations.

The success of the Harrison Line in maintaining its British Columbia service in spite of its heavy war losses has been one of the wonders of North Pacific shipping during the past year. Of all the steamship lines operating to the North Pacific when war broke out, it has suffered the heaviest loss in ships, but it has never allowed that condition to interfere with its operations to this coast.

The Harrison Line steamer Dramatic, which was here recently, is now loading on the Sound for the return trip to the United Kingdom.

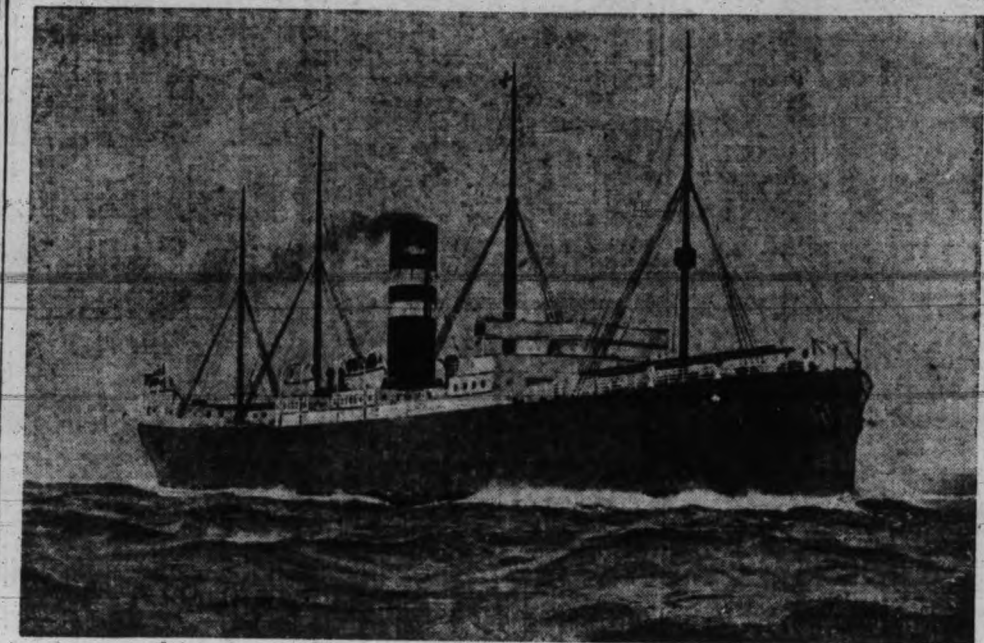
The next vessel of the fleet due here will be the Crown of Leon.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

San Francisco, Nov. 8.—Sailed: Str. Cello, for Everett; Bge. Louisiana, from Britannia Beach, B. C., in tow of Kingfisher; Sailed: Str. Windber, for San Francisco, via Anacortes; str. Mariposa and Curacao, for Seattle.
Victoria, B. C., Nov. 8.—Passed: Str. Hazel Dollar, from Hongkong, for Vancouver, B. C.; str. Ikoma Maru, from Nainai, B. C., for New York.
Nainai, B. C., Nov. 8.—Sailed: Str. Ikoma Maru, for New York.
Port Alberni, Nov. 8.—Departed: Str. Breakwater, for Coos Bay.
Seattle, Nov. 8.—Arrived: Str. Lyman Stewart, San Francisco; str. Nome City, San Francisco; str. Curacao, Southeastern Alaska, via Tacoma; str. Mariposa, Tacoma; str. Oriental, San Francisco, in tow of tug Hercules; str. Atlas, San Francisco; Sailed: Str. Valdez, Cordova, via Nainai, B. C.; str. Admiral Goodrich, Northwestern, via Southeastern Alaska; str. Atlas, San Francisco, via Point Wells.

HAZEL DOLLAR IN.
The Robert Dollar steamer Hazel Dollar, from Vladivostok, laden with Oriental cargo, passed up to Vancouver late yesterday afternoon.

REPORTED SUNK BY SUBMARINE



HARRISON LINER STATESMAN.

INABA MARU WILL BERTH ON MONDAY

Shidzuoka Maru Due in Port
To-morrow and Hawaii
Maru on Sunday

Capt. Higo, master of the N. Y. K. liner Inaba Maru, flashed a radiogram ashore this morning advising W. R. Dale, local agent, that he would be unable to reach port before daybreak on Monday. The Inaba was originally posted to arrive here from Kobe on Sunday, but on discovering he would not make the station before sundown the skipper sent a wireless to the effect that the ship would reach William Head at daybreak. The Inaba has 975 tons of Oriental cargo and 16 passengers for this port. This is the largest cargo consigned here in many months and will necessitate the liner remaining at the outer docks all day Monday to discharge.

Preceding the Inaba is the Shidzuoka Maru, inbound from Hongkong, which is expected to reach William Head at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning. She has 75 passengers to put ashore at the quarantine station, and in view of the delay occasioned thereby it will probably be 2 p. m. before she takes up her regular berth here. The Shidzuoka has 486 tons of cargo for this port. Wm. Allan, of R. P. R. & Co., has been advised by wireless that the O. S. K. liner Hawaii Maru, Capt. Kanao, due to arrive here November 10, will not reach port until Sunday morning. The Hawaii has 19 passengers and 550 tons of freight for Victoria.

COMMANDER WHITE HERE

Canada's Naval Recruiting Officer is
Perfecting Campaign

Commander White, R.N., chief recruiting officer for Canada's overseas division of the R. N. C. V. R., for service with the British navy, who came through to the coast with Capt. Hon. Rupert Guinness, arrived in the city this morning and spent a busy day in conference with Rear-Admiral O. Story, admiral superintendent of the Esquimalt dockyard, and other officers at the naval station.

Commander White has been touring the whole of Canada, visiting all the more important and thickly populated centres, perfecting organization for the big recruiting campaign now rapidly getting under way.

Commander White says that Capt. Hon. Rupert Guinness, accompanied by Lady Guinness, is expected to leave Vancouver to-night for Victoria.

PROTESTILUS TO SAIL

Latest word on the movements of the Blue Funnel liner Protestilus is that she will get away from Seattle at 2 a. m. to-morrow, reaching Victoria about 7 a. m., on her outward voyage to the Far East. The Protestilus is taking out a capacity cargo of 17,000 measurement tons. Seventy-nine Chinese passengers will embark here.

TO CALL AT HALIFAX.

The Cunard Line announces that two of its steamships, the Feltria and Folia, formerly owned by the Canadian Northern Steamships, Ltd., will call at Halifax, N. S., during the winter, both eastbound and westbound on the regular route between Bristol and United States ports.

BRITISH STEAMER ASHORE.

Santiago, Chile, Nov. 9.—The British steamship Madawasca is ashore at Corral Bay.

The Madawasca, 4,210 tons gross, is owned in London. She sailed from Calcutta, Sept. 4, for Peru, touching at Newcastle, N. S. W., on Oct. 5.

ATLANTIC ARRIVALS.

The C. P. O. S. liner Scotian reached Montreal Nov. 6, and the liner Scandinavian docked at the same port the following day.

WIRELESS REPORT

Nov. 9, 8 a. m.

Point Grey—Clear; W. moderate; gale, 30.14; sea moderate.

Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W. strong; 0.29; 47; sea rough; spoke tug Tye.

5.20 p. m. Seymour Narrows; southbound; spoke str. Admiral Watson.

6 a. m. Seymour Narrows; southbound.

Pachena—Cloudy; N. 30.29; 40; sea moderate.

Estevan—Clear; N. W. fresh; 30.10; 30; sea moderate.

Alert Bay—Cloudy; N. W. 30.12; 30; sea smooth. Passed out str. Venture.

1.30 a. m. northbound; out str. Chelohsin, 5.30 a. m. southbound.

Triangle—Cloudy; N. moderate; 0.43; 41; sea rough. Spoke str. Humboldt, 7.30 p. m. Millbank Sound.

southbound; spoke str. Prince Rupert, 7.30 p. m. Millbank Sound, southbound.

Dead Tree Point—Clear; calm; 20.35; 37; sea smooth.

Ikeda Bay—No report.

Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 30.37; 34; sea smooth. Spoke str. Alki, 9.30 p. m. off Kennedy Island, northbound.

spoke str. Starr, 9.35 p. m. Dixon's entrance, southbound.

Noon.

Point Grey—Clear; W. strong; 30.18; 44; sea moderate.

Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W. strong; 30.22; 48; sea rough. Spoke str. Prince Rupert ahead 10.30 a. m. southbound.

Pachena—Cloudy; N. strong; 30.25; 45; sea moderate.

Estevan—Clear; N. W. fresh; 30.20; 46; sea moderate.

Alert Bay—Overcast; W. strong; 30.20; 40; sea moderate. Spoke str. Humboldt 7.30 a. m. southbound.

Triangle—Clear; N. strong; 30.44; 44; sea rough. Spoke str. Venture 8.10 a. m. off Pine Island.

Dead Tree Point—Clear; calm; 30.25; 46; sea smooth. Str. Prince John, due at Ikeda 7 p. m.

Ikeda Bay—Clear; N. E. light; 30.42; 40; sea moderate.

Prince Rupert—Overcast; calm; 30.47; 41; sea smooth.

C. P. R. BUYS STEAMER

Hackness, Previously Under Charter,
Reported to Have Been
Purchased.

The C. P. R. is reported to have purchased the steamship Hackness from Pymon Bros., Ltd., of Wales. The Hackness was built in 1914, and is of the shelter deck type, 4,228 tons gross and 2,554 tons net register. She was formerly owned by the London & Northern Steamship Company, owning 10 vessels with a combined carrying capacity of 32,000 tons, all of which have been acquired by Pymon, Watson & Co., Ltd., South Wales, for about \$2,000,000.

The Hackness has been under charter to the C. P. R. for several months past, plying in its Atlantic service.

WAS BEHIND SCHEDULE.

The C. P. O. S. liner Montangle was ten days behind schedule in reaching Hongkong from this port via Yokohama. She arrived at 9 a. m. Nov. 6.

TIDE TABLE.

November.

Date	Time of High Water	Time of Low Water	Time of High Water	Time of Low Water
h. m. ft. h. m. ft. h. m. ft. h. m. ft.				
1	0:52 0.9	10:54 8.2	12:54 8.1	15:20 8.4
2	1:45 1.4	10:53 8.1	12:53 8.1	15:19 8.3
3	2:38 2.2	10:52 8.1	12:52 8.1	15:18 8.3
4	3:34 3.2	10:51 8.1	12:51 8.1	15:17 8.3
5	4:29 4.3	10:50 8.1	12:50 8.1	15:16 8.3
6	5:24 5.3	10:49 8.1	12:49 8.1	15:15 8.3
7	6:19 6.3	10:48 8.1	12:48 8.1	15:14 8.3
8	7:14 7.3	10:47 8.1	12:47 8.1	15:13 8.3
9	8:09 8.3	10:46 8.1	12:46 8.1	15:12 8.3
10	9:04 9.3	10:45 8.1	12:45 8.1	15:11 8.3
11	10:00 10.3	10:44 8.1	12:44 8.1	15:10 8.3
12	10:55 11.3	10:43 8.1	12:43 8.1	15:09 8.3
13	11:51 12.3	10:42 8.1	12:42 8.1	15:08 8.3
14	12:46 13.3	10:41 8.1	12:41 8.1	15:07 8.3
15	1:42 14.3	10:40 8.1	12:40 8.1	15:06 8.3
16	2:38 15.3	10:39 8.1	12:39 8.1	15:05 8.3
17	3:34 16.3	10:38 8.1	12:38 8.1	15:04 8.3
18	4:30 17.3	10:37 8.1	12:37 8.1	15:03 8.3
19	5:26 18.3	10:36 8.1	12:36 8.1	15:02 8.3
20	6:22 19.3	10:35 8.1	12:35 8.1	15:01 8.3
21	7:18 20.3	10:34 8.1	12:34 8.1	15:00 8.3
22	8:14 21.3	10:33 8.1	12:33 8.1	14:59 8.3
23	9:10 22.3	10:32 8.1	12:32 8.1	14:58 8.3
24	10:06 23.3	10:31 8.1	12:31 8.1	14:57 8.3
25	11:02 24.3	10:30 8.1	12:30 8.1	14:56 8.3
26	11:58 25.3	10:29 8.1	12:29 8.1	14:55 8.3
27	12:54 26.3	10:28 8.1	12:28 8.1	14:54 8.3
28	1:50 27.3	10:27 8.1	12:27 8.1	14:53 8.3
29	2:46 28.3	10:26 8.1	12:26 8.1	14:52 8.3
30	3:42 29.3	10:25 8.1	12:25 8.1	14:51 8.3

STILL AT PORT TOWNSEND.

The schooner Inca and William Bowden are still at Port Townsend awaiting crews. The former loaded 1,200,000 feet at Genoa Bay for South Africa and the latter is bound for Melbourne with 55,000 feet of lumber loaded at Port Gamble. Capt. Winthrop, of the Bowden, is relieving Capt. Eastman on the forthcoming voyage of the Inca.

FLEET IS INCREASED.

Manchester Liners, Ltd., has added three vessels to its fleet, one for each of the services to Canada, Philadelphia and Baltimore. The company now owns seventeen vessels, aggregating 125,316 tons deadweight capacity, operating directly to and from Manchester, Eng., via the Manchester ship canal.

ATLANTIC SAILINGS

From Montreal, St. John and New York, to Liverpool and Glasgow.

	1st Class	2nd Class	3rd Class	
S.S. Adriatic, from New York	\$120.00	\$50.00	\$27.50	Nov. 18
S.S. Northland, from Montreal	60.00	30.00	15.00	Nov. 18
S.S. Metagama, from Montreal	60.00	30.00	15.00	Nov. 23
S.S. Gramplan, from Montreal	60.00	30.00	15.00	Nov. 23
S.S. Orduna, from New York	100.00	50.00	25.00	Nov. 23
S.S. Corsican, from St. John, N.B.	55.00	27.50	13.75	Dec. 1
S.S. Scotian, from St. John, N.B.	55.00	27.50	13.75	Dec. 1
S.S. Mississauga, from St. John, N.B.	55.00	27.50	13.75	Dec. 1
S.S. Scandinavian, from St. John, N.B.	55.00	27.50	13.75	Dec. 1

Through Tourist Sleeping Cars leave Vancouver on Imperial Limited Train No. 1, Nov. 26, 29, Dec. 3, 10, connecting with sailings of Corsican, Scotian, Mississauga and Scandinavian.

Baggage checked through to Liverpool or to cabin on steamship.

For reservation on steamers and special sleepers write or call on

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY.

Phone 174. 1102 Government Street

CHRISTMAS

FAMILY DOCTOR'S GOOD ADVICE

To Go On Taking "Fruit-a-tives"
Because They Did Her Good

Rochon, P. Q. Jan. 14th, 1913.
"I suffered for many years with terrible indigestion and constipation. I had frequent dizzy spells and became greatly run down. A neighbor advised me to try 'Fruit-a-tives.' I did so and to the surprise of my doctor, I began to improve, and he advised me to go on with 'Fruit-a-tives.'"

I consider that I owe my life to 'Fruit-a-tives' and I want to say to those who suffer from indigestion, constipation or headaches—'try Fruit-a-tives' and you will get well."—
CO-RIANE GAUDREAU.

50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Teachers for Alberta

Teachers with requisite qualifications are still in strong demand for Alberta schools. British Columbia trained teachers submitting Academic, First or Second-Class certificates receive regular standing, while those submitting Third-Class certificates who have taken both preliminary and advanced training receive Third-Class standing for two years. Prevailing salaries in rural districts vary from \$700 to \$800 per year. The Department is prepared to assist teachers in securing positions, especially in rural schools.

Address communications to:
THE DEPUTY MINISTER,
Department of Education,
Edmonton.

Police Trousers Wanted

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. on Monday, November 13, 1913, for the supply of 40 pairs of Blue Serge Trousers, heavy, for winter wear, for the Police Department. Samples and specifications can be seen at the Police Station, Fergus Street. All tenders must be sent to the City Purchasing Agent, and marked on outside of envelope "Tenders for Police Trousers." Accompanying each tender must be a marked cheque, made payable to the City Treasurer, for five per cent. of the amount of the tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,
City Purchasing Agent.

DENMAN STREET WIDENING LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT.

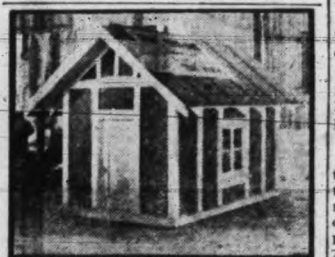
All persons interested or liable to be assessed for this local improvement work are hereby invited to attend a meeting of the City Council on Friday, November 15, 1913, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of arriving at a solution, if possible, of the difficulties which have arisen in regard to the local improvement assessment for this work.

ALEX. STEWART,
Mayor.
City Hall, Victoria, B. C., November 6, 1913.

ESTATE OF MARY COLE BOWEN, LATE OF VICTORIA, B. C., DE- CEASED.

All persons having any claims against the estate of the late Mary Cole Bowen, who died on or about the 15th day of March, 1914, and whose will has been proved in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Victoria, Registry, by the Executors therein named, are required to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned, on or before the 27th day of November, 1914, after which date the Executors will distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice.

Dated this 27th day of October, 1914.
CREASE & CREASE,
Solicitors for Executors,
410 Central Building, Victoria, B. C.



RAFFLE

House, 3x5, presented to Red Cross by SIDNEY RUBBER ROOFING COMPANY, and to be raffled by Oak Bay Committee. Suitable for doll house. Tickets 10 cents at Oak Bay rooms and Lange & Co., 747 Yates St.

We Are Now Selling Diamond Rings and Jewellery at Cost

to enable us to pay the taxes

STODDART'S Jewellery Store

1113 Douglas St., Belmont Block.

CHANCE TO GIVE TO NAVY RELIEF FUND

Concert To-night in Royal Victoria; Envelope Collection Sunday

There should be a crowded house in the Royal Victoria theatre this evening on the occasion of the concert to be given in aid of the British Sailors' Relief Fund. The programme, which has already been published in these columns, is an excellent one and there is no doubt that those who attend this evening will have a most enjoyable couple of hours. The doors will be opened at 7.30 and the concert will begin at 8.30.

At the week-end a house-to-house collection will be made by members of the Rotary Club for the fund, and for the generosity of citizens is invited. There are no expenses in connection with the fund, except printing and advertising, and those who contribute have the satisfaction of knowing that practically every cent subscribed is ultimately devoted to the object at heart.

The executive committee of the local branch has issued an appeal to the public of Victoria, signed by William Blakenore, chairman; F. L. Crawford, honorary treasurer; Arthur Coles, honorary financial secretary; and Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, honorary secretary, which explains the objects of the fund and details the plans for the collection here. In part this says:

"The committee cannot too strongly impress upon the public that the British Sailors' Relief Fund is just a single gift to testify their appreciation of the magnificent work of the navy during the present war and to testify in the best possible manner by making provision for those who by the accident of war have become wards of the empire."

"There are no expenses in connection with the fund, except printing and advertising, and the whole of the proceeds will be forwarded to the head office in London through the president of the Canadian Branch, A. G. Ross, Esq., of Montreal."

"The executive urges the public to do their 'bit' for the sake of the work and the memory of the brave men of the navy and the mercantile marine, who have so nobly done their 'bit,' and at the supreme cost."

"At the request of the executive, the Rotary Club very kindly undertook to assist in getting up a public concert and in organizing an envelope collection similar to the one so successfully carried out a few months ago for the prisoners of war. The executive cannot sufficiently express its indebtedness to the Rotary Club for its splendid services in this connection. The amount of detail labor involved is enormous, and the sacrifice of time on the part of business men is the best possible evidence of their interest in the cause."

"The grand concert which they have organized takes place to-night, and the sale of tickets justifies the expectation of a crowded house, especially as the programme is unique, being contributed entirely by officers and men of the warships in port."

For the envelope collection 15,000 preliminary leaflets have been distributed throughout the city, Oak Bay, Esquimalt and Nanaimo, and the distribution of the same number of envelopes will commence on Friday at 1.30 p. m., the collection of these and their contents to commence on Sunday at 1.30 p. m. This work will be done by the Rotary Club committee, with the assistance of members and a large number of citizens and the men of the Bantams, the mustering-point for the distributors and collectors being in the vicinity of the Bantams' barracks, Beacon Hill park.

The committee's appeal acknowledges the work being done by the branches of the Navy League and the splendid article published in the press of the province from the pen of Sir Clive Phillips-Wolley, president of the B. C. Federated Navy League.

A human society had secured a downtown show window and filled it with attractive pictures of wild animals in their native haunts. A placard in the middle of the exhibit read: "We were skinned to provide women with fashionable furs." A man passed before the window and his paraded expression for a moment gave place to one of sympathy. "I know just how you feel, old top," he muttered. "So was I!"

The Peps way of treating coughs, colds, bronchitis and lung and throat troubles. How? Well, up to now people with these chest and throat troubles have swallowed cough mixtures, sticky syrups and the like, into their stomachs. Some large and throat get cured by doing the stomach. Peps work differently. Peps are tablets made up of Pine extracts and medicinal essences, which when put into the mouth turn into healing vapors. These are breathed down direct to the lungs, throat and bronchial tubes—not swallowed down to the stomach, which is not ailing. Try a 50c. box of Peps for your cold, your cough, bronchitis or asthma. All druggists and stores or Peps Co., Toronto, will supply.

This is new
Peps

DESCRIBES LONDON AFTER FIRST VISIT

Victorian Tells of Tour Through Metropolis; Service at Westminster

The following are some interesting excerpts from a letter written by Bombardier A. Willis, 62nd Battery, 15th Brigade, C. F. A., who left Victoria and, about the first week in October, visited London for the first time since the unit crossed to England and took up its quarters at Witley camp.

"I have safely returned after six days of leave which passed all too quickly for my liking, and I would like about another month, starting next Monday. But we are on grim business, and should consider ourselves fortunate in getting a short respite for pleasure."

"We left camp on a special train last Friday and made a through run to London. A bunch of us had made arrangements to take in a tour arranged by the chaplain of the brigade, and we left everything pertaining to lodgings in his hands. When we reached London about 8.30 and detrained at Waterloo station we were escorted to several brakes, and climbed on board. There was a big crowd at the station, and we soon let them know where we came from. When fully loaded the brakes pulled out of the station, and we were soon out on a roadway which was as black as ink. We rambled across Waterloo bridge and up a number of streets until our driver became lost. It may seem strange to say he was lost, but he was not the first old-timer to go astray in a London lane."

"After some further difficulties we arrived at the place where we were supposed to spend the night, but it was only the threshold that was vacant. We then proceeded to the Central Y. M. C. A., and the officers, after informing us that there were no rooms, offered to give us accommodation on lounges or the floor. However, we had enough of sleeping on floors and wanted a real bed. Some kind lady offered to take some of us over to the Shakespeare hut, a new place for Canadians, and the finest hut in London, and we promptly shifted in her motor car. We secured shake-downs there and after a meal started out to have a constitutional before turning in. The main streets of London are full of interest, and we spent a couple of unprecedented hours on them. Dead tired we returned to our hut and went off to dreamland."

"The next morning we were up with the sun and made haste to get ready for a busy day. At 8.45 o'clock several brakes came around to take us for a drive about London. I got a seat in the front row alongside the driver, who was an elderly man, bent over through the number of years he had spent on the top of one of these cabs. He turned out a likeable old chap, and one of the boys asked him if he would point out all the places of interest, to which he replied: 'Why bless you, certainly I will. You boys have come over to do us a good turn, and I'll be glad to do you all a favor!'"

In Hyde Park.
"We took in Tottenham court road and then turned off on to Oxford street and ran through Hyde Park. Our driver took great pains to explain things, and was slow and deliberate, not like the boisterous boys who sing out on the trolley-buses in Victoria. Our right was the dog cemetery, started by the Duke of Cambridge, and on the left was rotten row. Then we came to the Serpentine, afterwards Kensington Palace where Queen Victoria was born and received the news that she was to succeed to the throne of England. The next point of interest was the Albert Memorial erected by Queen Victoria in memory of her husband at a cost of 120,000. It was started in 1864 and took several years to build. We dismounted and looked over the magnificent structure. Then when we resumed our journey we came to the Natural History Museum and, on the right, the South Kensington Museum. The driver called attention to the statue of Sir Christopher Wren, the man who built St. Paul's Cathedral, and right next to him Charles Barry, who built the Parliament Buildings. We passed through a few business streets and enlivened things with a few choice songs and yells. We thought our guides must have forgotten we were on board for he had been silent for some moments, but suddenly he pointed to our right and spoke: 'Now there is one of our biggest stores. See where our women are doing there—cleaning windows!'"

"We were much interested and cheered the fair one in their work, which brought us a few winsome smiles. It's surprising what England's women are doing. Dressed in trousers with a long sack coat the girls were high up on the ladders putting a polish on the windows that made them look like mirrors."

Tattersall's, the famous horse-mart, then the Duke of Wellington's one-time home, then the Rutland's, Constitution Hill, Buckingham Palace, St. James' Palace, Marlborough House, the empty quarters of the German embassy, the residence of the Duke of Connaught (when His Royal Highness is in England), the parliament buildings, etc.

Houses of Parliament.
"At the Parliament Buildings we dismounted and were escorted through the buildings, taking seats in both the House of Lords and the Commons. The House of Lords has some beautiful fixtures and there are some magnificent paintings in the passageways. Across the road we entered Westminster Abbey and arrived in time to see the colors of a Canadian battalion, under orders to proceed to the front, being placed in the abbey for safe keeping. The service was short but impressive. The colors were placed alongside a lot of other colors of Canadian regiments on the Wolfe monument. About all I can say of the abbey is that I have seen it. The tombs and vaults of kings, queens and great men we gazed upon and listened to the history of each."

The architecture of the building is beyond my description. When we emerged from the quiet of the abbey we told our driver that London certainly had some wonderful things, to which he replied with a little scorn: 'Yes, you can see these things, but we never have a chance to show you some practical things which we have. Just look at the water system of London and the sewerage. There are some wonderful things and serviceable things—not like these poppy things.'

"We pursued a course along the Victoria Embankment and saw Cleopatra's Needle. Our driver, I think, wanted to see if we would know the Bank of England. We had almost passed a one-story building on our left, possessing neither windows nor doors, when the old fellow said: 'There is the Bank of England. It's a building with all its windows on the inside!'"

"Some minutes later we came to St. Paul's Cathedral. We climbed some 300 steps to the Whispering Gallery. A man put his lips to the wall on the opposite side and whispered: 'We were about 75 feet away and could hear him distinctly.' Then we climbed further and came out on a walk, and secured a beautiful view of the great city. We went down into the crypt and saw the tombs of Wellington and Nelson and a duplicate of a magnificent hearse which conveyed Wellington's remains to their last resting place."

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TRIBUTE TO WORK OF THE PIONEERS

Cpl. Redgrave, Who Left With the 67th, Tells of Conditions at the Front

A letter has been received from Corporal S. Redgrave, of the 67th Pioneers, telling something of the conditions at the front. He says:

"We were in Belgium for some little time, and lost a few of our best boys. You remember Peter MacKintosh. He used to be in the Bank of Nova Scotia in your block. He was wounded in three or four places and died while on his way to the hospital. He was a fine fellow and very popular. A number of other boys were killed also. The majority of deaths were caused by snipers and machine guns."

"We were transferred from there to this front some time ago and have had our hands full ever since. We have lost a number of our boys here, too."

"There is quite a contrast between this place and Belgium. Nearly all our troubles now comes from 'Jack Johnsons' and 'whizz bangs,' and, believe me, it makes you think pretty hard sometimes, but we get used to it."

"Corporals had some wonderful dug-outs made in their trenches which our forces have captured. I am writing this letter in my dugout, one of those captured. As you know, we are pioneers and our work is hard and dangerous at all times, as there is really no protection for us. The work we do is all new and we keep up with the infantry all the time."

"Our battalion has gained an excellent reputation since we have been over here, and has been complimented by Major-General Watson for the fine work which has been done. I am enclosing a bit of verse about the Pioneers and from it you will see what they really do:

The Pioneers.
Artillery and infantry press on to the advance,
Artillery and infantry across the fields of France;
Their name and fame and glory in combat,
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MANY MEN JOINING BANTAM BATTALION

Lieut. Ely in Charge of Recruiting; Officers to Visit Vancouver

The announcement to the effect that the 143rd Battalion would leave for overseas next month, seems to have had a stimulating effect on recruiting. For yesterday was the best day the local office has had for several months. A new recruiting officer is in charge, Lieut. Ely having taken the place of Capt. Greenhill yesterday morning, and throughout the day he was kept busy. Lieut. Ely returned a day or two ago from a recruiting trip through the interior of British Columbia. He did some effective service, but was handicapped in his work by the fact that labor conditions in the Boundary and Kootenay country do not permit of many men being drawn from those places. The managers say that they need five to six hundred men just now to increase the output of the mines, and as the mineral is needed for ammunition and other purposes it would be bad policy to drain the country for recruits.

Lieut. Ely went through all the country, holding meetings and showing lantern slides of the Bantams at work, and of the barracks and other attractions. In each place he made a personal appeal for men and the response was fairly good.

On Sunday next Captain Gordon Smith and several other officers will visit Vancouver and will make appeals for men through the churches. Capt. Smith will go to Christ church, and the others will be distributed under an arrangement with the clergy of that city.

On the whole the prospects for an early completion of the unit looks bright, and it seems certain that when the Bantams leave here they will go with the ranks well filled as befits a battalion from the capital of the province.

CALL TO BELGIANS RESIDENT IN CANADA

Registration Forms Must Be Sent to Officials Before December 1

The consulate general of Belgium at Ottawa has just addressed the following communication to the editor:

"A ministerial order dated the 15th of October, 1913, extends to the Belgians living in Canada the provisions of the decree of the 21st of July last."

"As a consequence all Belgians born after the 30th of June, 1876, and before the last of July, 1888, shall, before the 1st of December, 1913, duly fill registration forms and address same either to the nearest Belgian consul or to the nearest Belgian consul."

"Registration forms will be supplied by the nearest Belgian consul on either verbal or written application."

"Married men born after 1884 and single men born after the 30th of June, 1886, will be summoned to the nearest Belgian consulate, where their obligations will be explained to them. If fit for service, they will be transported to the Belgian recruiting commission of Folkestone (England)."

"Married men born before 1885 and single men born before 1886 and single men born before the 1st of July, 1886, may apply for a delay provided since any date prior to the 21st of June they have been in the employ either of contractors engaged in the production of war material or of any service of general utility. Such application shall be made in the registration form. Those who have been refused same will be summoned to the nearest Belgian consulate on a date to be determined by future provisions, to be medically examined and, if found fit, transported to the Belgian recruiting commission of Folkestone, England."

"The high explosive's finished and the gunners' work is done."

When the infantry's "gone-over" and the shattered trench is won, and the counter blow is parried, but the "curtain fire" remains, the Pioneers come forward to consolidate the gains.

When no man's land is empty save for deluges of shells, there's never any shelter there, but seven separate hills.

The fierce machine guns fan it with a biggest storm. See where our women are doing there—cleaning windows!

Their comrades out in front of them are simply holding on—

The men who steeled the trenches with their ammunition gear. They're needing food and water, wanting bomb and hand grenade, to stick to that few hundred yards of ground that they have made.

And the Pioneers see they get it, oh, it's hard they dig and fast; they lose men every minute, but they worry through at last.

And up their new made trenches pour the longed-for fresh supplies, and the new position is solid and the "push" has won its prize.

The Pioneer's tradition but a simple honor-claims—

To do their job and make no fuss and never mention name of the army knows full well.

It's got to thank the Pioneers for more than it can tell.

Artillery and infantry together may do much.

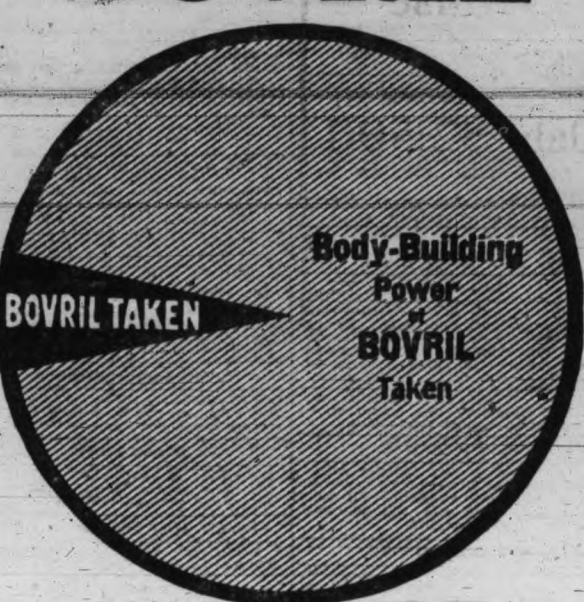
But it's the gallant Pioneers that add the final touch;

So come, boys, altogether and let's give three hearty cheers

For artillery and infantry and the 67th Pioneers.

As the stage coach careened toward the edge of the cliff, the timid tourist gazed anxiously down at the brawling stream three hundred feet below. "Do people fall over this precipice often?" she asked. The driver chuckled to his nose. "No, madam," he returned placidly. "never but once."—Christian Herald.

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Sign the form below, put it and the money in an envelope, and mail it or take it to the Hon. Secretary, Canadian Red Cross Society, Temple Building, Victoria, B. C.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA,
OCTOBER 7th, 1913.

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BATHS—Vapor and electric light, massage and chiropody. Mrs. Barker, 912 Fort street. Phone R473.

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RADIANT HEAT BATHS, massage and chiropody. Mr. R. H. Barker, from the National Hospital, London, 211 Jones Building. Phone 314.

DENTISTS

DR. LEWIS HALL, Dental Surgeon, Jewell Block, cor. Yates and Douglas streets, Victoria, B. C. Telephone: Office, 557; Residence, 122.

DR. W. F. FRASER, 301-1 Stobart-Peace Block, Phone 4204. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

DR. F. G. KEENE, dentist, has opened office in the Central Bldg., Suite 412-12-14. Phone 4309.

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PRIVATE DETECTIVE OFFICE, 312 Hibben-Bone Bldg., Day and night phone 3412.

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MATERNITY NURSING, in or out. Phone 4676, 1113 Flearad.

ORTHOPEDIC GYMNASIUM

VICTORIA ORTHOPEDIC GYMNASIUM, 408 Jones Block, Phone 227 afternoons. Nervitis, rheumatism, sprains, local paralysis, spine, intestinal troubles, general debility, etc.

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WE CARRY factory made springs to suit practically all makes of cars in use on Vancouver Island. When in spring trouble look us up. Pimley's, Johnson street.

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CHIMNEYS CLEANED—Defective flues, chimneys, etc. Wm. Neal, 1013 Quadra St. Phone 1019.

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FRESH SUPPLY LOCAL FISH received daily. Free delivery. W. J. Weiglesworth, 211 Johnson. Phone 411.

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BUILDERS' and agricultural lime. Export, 2741 R. 1, 2410 or 432.

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CANADIAN ORDER OF FORESTERS—Court Columbia, 54, meets 1st Monday, 8 p. m., Orange Hall, Yates St. B. W. O. Garage, 101 Moss St. Tel. 1725.

S. O. E. B. JUVENILE YOUNG ENGLAND, meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8 p. m., 710 Hall, 7 o'clock. Secretary, A. E. Brindley, 1017 Pembroke.

DAUGHTERS AND MAIDS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Lodge Princess Alexandra, No. 18, meets 3rd Thursday 8 p. m., Orange Hall, Yates street. L. C. Caterall, W. Secy., 1918 Linden avenue.

DAUGHTERS AND MAIDS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Lodge Primrose, No. 22, meets 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 8 p. m., A. O. F. Hall, Broad street. President, F. M. Wyman, 587 Pembroke St. A. M. James, W. Secy., 719 Discovery St. Visiting members cordially invited.

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FOR RENT—HOUSES (Unfurnished). FOR RENT—HOUSES AND APARTMENTS, furnished and unfurnished, in all parts of the city. Lloyd-Young Russell, 3122 Broad street, ground floor. Pemberton Building. Phone 432.

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FOR RENT—Seven roomed, modern house, 1533 Pandora street, near Oak Bay Junction. Phone 781L.

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FOR RENT—Seven roomed house, with garage, on Fort street, close in. \$10 for domestic or family residence. Apply Room 232, Pemberton Building.

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THREE ROOMED, furnished cottage on Bowker avenue, rent \$8. Apply 227 Bowker avenue, Williams.

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Hon. Rupert Guinness will arrive in Victoria to-morrow morning and to-morrow evening will address a public meeting at the Princess theatre under the auspices of the Victoria and Esquimalt branch of the Navy League.

Lady Guinness will address a meeting of the Women's Canadian Club at the Empress ballroom at 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon.

Rummage Sale, First Baptist church, to-morrow, 2 p.m.

Answers to Times Want Ads.

The following replies are waiting to be called for:

37, 52, 94, 157, 173, 206, 211, 1591, 1601, 1603, 1605, 1725, 1785, 1815, 1847, 1848, 3553, 3558, 3573, 3575.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

DIGGONISMS—"Last we forget, it may be mentioned that the friends at the front will be glad to get a letter or card from you." Diggon Printing Co., 706 Yates street. Thoroughbred Pom. free—see our windows. We make Christmas cards. n3

WHY GO HOME TO EAT when you can get a nice, tasty lunch of four courses at the Vernon Cafe for 25¢. Try it once and you will keep on trying it. Tables for ladies. n3

TO LET—Comfortably furnished house-keeping rooms, with use of piano. 631 Avalon road. n11

THE FOLLOWING SETS of standard works at one-half and a few sets less than one-half the regular prices: 33 vols. of Anthology, 15 vols. Washington Irving, 6 vols. New Practical Reference Library, 25 vols. Dumas, 19 vols. The World's History and Its Makers, 15 vols. Jules Verne, 14 vols. Memoirs of the Courts of Europe, 13 vols. Ibsen, 21 vols. Strout, T. N. Hibber & Co. n3

MOVED—Walter & Knapton have moved and are now located at 1411 Douglas, between Johnson and Pandora. Special attention given to underwear, hosiery and repairs. A nice line of new handles. Phone 2439. n3

REWARD OF \$25 will be paid by the Board of School Trustees of Esquimalt for any person giving such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person who shot a rifle on Lamson street, on Wednesday last, or about 2:30 p.m., causing danger to the lives of children on their way home from school. n3

REWARD OF \$25 will be paid to any person who will give such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person who shot his dog, an Irish setter, on Lamson street on Wednesday last. A. Malachuk. n3

TO RENT—Single rooms, partly furnished, \$4 per month. Apply 740 Johnson street, Room 1. Inspection invited. n14

FOUND—Auto pump. Address Box 225, Times. n3

TO RENT—Two rooms, furnished, carpet, with stove, can be had together or separate; near High school. Apply 2014 Fernwood road. n11

\$2.50 REWARD—Lost, pup, about 7 months, cross between Skye and W. shire, shaggy, black and tan. n11

CRAIGDARROCH ROAD, lot 128 (50x100), owner ordered overseas, must sell. What offer? Notify A. W. Bridgman, 1007 Government street. n11

WANTED—Boy, to deliver milk. Apply W. Holmes, Highgate Dairy, Mount Tolmie. n11

EXCHANGE—Clear title, 6 lots in Lloydminster and some cash for small house in Victoria. Fernwood district preferred. Apply owner, 1222 Richardson street. n3

FOR SALE—Black typewriter, oak case, for \$15, or exchange photograph or something useful. Box 27, Times. Phone 1937. n11

30 FEET 1 inch galvanized water pipe for sale. Write Box 228, Times. n14

LOST—Wednesday, between Dunsmuir road and Hillside avenue, gold brooch set with pearls and turquoise. Reward. Phone 2455. n11

IF YOU WANT a nice steam heated room, come up to the St. Ives, 819 Fort. Hot and cold water in every room; steam heated. Reasonable rates. Under new management. Proprietors, Ross Smith, Phone 328. n3

MOVE YOUR FURNITURE by motor, cheaper and quicker; prices reasonable. J. D. Williams, Phone 870. n11

VICTORIA'S NEW FANCY GOODS STORE, 718 Yates street. Blouses, latest neckwear, stamped linens and fancy work materials. Prices reasonable. n15

SIXTY CENTS AN HOUR for your plumbing repairs. Phone 313. Standard Plumbing Company, office, 25 Winch Building. n9

SMART BOY wanted, for delivery; good wages to right boy. Apply Dominion Meat Market, Oak Bay Junction. n3

SEWING MACHINE BARGAINS—See window display, 43 Yates. n11

DROP HEAD MACHINES, \$16 and up. 718 Yates. n11

SINGER MACHINE, only \$19. 718 Yates. n11

DOMESTIC MACHINE, \$9. 718 Yates, n11

RAMBLER BICYCLES for ladies or gentlemen, with Dunlop tires and coaster brakes. \$35. Pinney's Cycle Store, View street. n3

MODERN COW BARN, twelve stalls, dwellings, fifteen acres of land, 2-mile circle. Apply evenings, 156 Joseph St. n11

TIRES! TIRES! TIRES!

TO MAKE ROOM for fall shipment we are offering guaranteed tires at almost second-hand prices. Call on Auto Supply Co., 1115 Blanshard. n15

NOTICE

In the Estate of Isaac Walsh, Deceased.

All persons having claims against this estate are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned, not later than the 10th of December, 1916, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.

Dated the 8th day of November, 1916.

E. D. WOODFORD,
Bank of Montreal, Chambers,
Victoria, B. C.,
Solicitor for the Executor.

REWARD

A reward of \$50.00 will be paid for the recovery of a Torpedo which was lost on Saturday, October 7, 1916.

The position when Torpedo went down was 11 miles S. 40 deg. E. Magnetic from Figure Island Lighthouse.

(Signed) GEORGE PHILLIPS,
Naval Store Officer,
H. M. C. Dockyard, Esquimalt, B. C.

ROTARIANS LUNCH AT PANTAGES THEATRE

Nomination of Officers; Members to Attend Big Concert To-night

A unique entertainment was put up to-day by the members of the Rotary Club at its weekly lunch. By courtesy of Manager Rice the repast was served by the White Lunch in the Pantages theatre, impromptu tables having been arranged in every second row of seats and the lunches served in individual boxes. While lunch was being eaten the Charlie Chaplin film was run off and at the conclusion Howard and Fields, "The Dining Car Minstrels," contributed several numbers and Santucci, "Genius of the Accordion," gave selections, all of which were well received.

Some of the members of the club put on a playlet illustrating the advantages of good business methods, such as those expounded by the Rotary idea. The old style way of doing business was shown where the proprietor was snappy and careless, and then a year later after he had learned the new way of doing business his store was shown stocked with "made in Victoria" goods and the proprietor wearing a "made in Victoria" smile.

It being the day set apart for the annual nomination of officers, Percy Abel was elected president by acclamation and the other nominations were as follows: Vice-president, Charlie French, Gilbert Fraser and Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick; treasurer, Joshua King-helm, J. R. Clark and Arthur Malet; sergeant-at-arms, Jimmie Rice and Harley Davenport; directors, Alex. Peden, Wallace Terry, James Beattie, Arthur Fraser, James Fletcher, Joe O'Connell, Pete Johnson, Clarence Deaville and W. H. Wilkerson.

Those who took part in the programme were: T. P. McConnell, chairman, H. L. Phillips, P. E. Dickson, W. S. Nason, A. M. Campbell, M. R. Jamieson, R. M. Shaw, R. R. Nield and D. Keith Wilson.

Special mention was made of the big concert at the Royal Victoria theatre to-night which commences at 8:30. In aid of the British Sailors' Relief Fund, and all members were asked to be present. The concert is provided by the members of the naval forces now at Esquimalt and promises to be one of the events of the season.

Final arrangements were made for the big envelope collection which is to commence to-morrow and conclude on Sunday afternoon.

A short speech from the president-elect concluded the proceedings.

LOCAL NEWS

Christmas Cards for the front, should be mailed now. See our local views. Sweeney-McConnell, Ltd., 1912 Langley. n11

Guaranteed by Haynes—Means Haynes wants you to return your watch to him, if it is not absolutely satisfactory, after he has repaired it. n3

"Demand Phoenix Beer. Home product." n3

Send Your Soldier a Photo for Xmas. It is the only thing he cannot buy for himself. Specially priced Sepia's portraits at the Skene Lowe Studio, 654 Yates St. n3

Mackenzie's Sausages are the best. n3

The Monthly Meeting of the Ladies' Guild of the Connaught Seamen's Institute will be held (D.V.) on Tuesday morning next at 11 at the institute. It is requested that all the members will make an effort to be present. On Saturday afternoon next the birthday tea will be held to commemorate the opening of the institute. All subscribers and friends of Jack are cordially invited to be present. Time 3:30 p.m. A musical programme will possibly be given by boys from H. M. S. Otranto.

A well-informed miss of fourteen inquired of her brother: "What would you say if you met a German lady and she said: 'Good morning, God punish England!' The boy quickly replied: 'I'd say, 'Don't you think you're very Hun-like?'"

Second-hand Auto Wanted

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. on Monday, November 13, 1916, for one second hand Automobile, not less than 45 H. P. for the Fire Department. Tenderers must give full particulars as to price, make, etc. All tenders must be addressed to the City Purchasing Agent, and marked on the outside of the envelope "Tenders for second hand Auto." The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,
City Purchasing Agent,
Victoria, B. C., November 8, 1916.

Horses and Wagons For Sale

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. on Monday, November 13, 1916, for the purchase of any or all of 8 Horses and Wagons, the property of the Fire Department. Tenderers will be given all information by the Chief of the Fire Department. All tenders must be addressed to the City Purchasing Agent and marked on the outside of the envelope "Tenders for Horses and Wagons." The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,
City Purchasing Agent,
Victoria, B. C., November 8, 1916.

GOSDEN GOES INTO THE WITNESS BOX

Prisoner Accused of Perjury Repeats His Assertions of Alleged Payment

PRINTER FROM KAMLOOPS IS A NEW INTRODUCTION

Says He Saw Member for Vancouver at Post Office on April 25

The Gosden defence this forenoon sought to add corroboration to the story that M. A. Macdonald was in the vicinity of the post office about 9 o'clock on the evening of April 25 by bringing in a new witness. This was a man who worked in a local printing office and is now engaged on the Bowser paper in Kamloops.

According to this witness, he saw the senior member for Vancouver on Government street, at the post office, on the evening in question. He was not able to furnish the court and jury with any adequate explanation why, if his statement is to be accepted, he stood aside and allowed a man to be accused of a serious crime which he claimed to have disproved. He displayed a marvellous memory, too, marvellous for complete credence, and while he had hour and minute for the evening about which he had to give testimony, he was stumped when the crown prosecutor came to cross-examine him and was unable to give any details of the other happenings to which he had not given previous thought.

The accused, Robert Raglan Gosden, went into the witness box in his own behalf and had told most of his story in answer to his counsel, A. Dunbar Taylor, K.C., before the court rose for luncheon. This afternoon Crown Prosecutor Moresby is cross-examining the prisoner.

Before S. Howland was sworn his lordship said he wanted Tony Silvenec recalled and Mr. Silvenec stepped into the box.

Mr. Justice Gregory—You said Gosden was in your room on April 25. When was he there next?

Never there since, that I know.

Did you see him at the time you gave evidence before the legislative committee?

Between the time he was in the room and the trial?

Did you see him at the time of the inquiry?

I don't remember ever speaking to him after that.

Spencer Howland, draughtsman, with headquarters here, but now in Vancouver, knows Gosden and on April 25 met him in the forenoon. He paid for Gosden's lunch at the Quaker Girl Cafe, and had a walk with him.

To Mr. Moresby he said he became acquainted with Gosden when he was a member of an unemployment committee.

Morton Denis Billings, a printer since 1881, employed by the Kamloops Standard-Sentinel since May and here from July, 1915, till then, was a new friend. He came here to work for F. E. Simpson, who ran the late Victorian and is now running the Standard-Sentinel. As a matter of fact, it later came out, he was a partner of Simpson's in the Victorian. He was asked by A. Dunbar Taylor, K.C., the various places he had lived or roomed at here, and went on to say that he remembered the Saturday before Easter, because he was working all day in the office and went home with a sick headache. He worked on Easter Monday and on Tuesday worked till 6 p.m., went home to dinner, and then to the Prince George hotel for a shave, getting to the hotel at twenty minutes past seven. He left there about five minutes past eight, walked around and went to the Victorian lock-box in the post office.

The court—At what time?

I could not state positively except as to the time I got home.

Mr. Taylor—Do you know Mr. Macdonald?

Yes, met him in Cranbrook, where I lived for some time and met him personally.

Where did you live before you went to Cranbrook?

In Iowa.

What nationality are you?

An American.

Have you taken out your papers?

In 1904 or 1905.

As you went into the post office did you see anyone you knew?

I saw Mr. Macdonald.

How near were you to him?

Eight or ten feet.

No doubt as to its being Mr. Macdonald?

I have no doubt at all.

Three or four minutes a day. He first mentioned seeing Mr. Macdonald to his wife that night, then to Simpson some time in June, and then some time just prior to the general election to Freeman Harding, editor of the Standard-Sentinel.

Mr. Moresby—Do you know what Mr. Simpson's policies were when you were a partner of his here?

He was a Liberal.

What are his politics now?

He is a Conservative.

In ordinary parlance he is a turn-coat?

Yes.

Witness admitted he possibly read the evidence of Gosden about May 11 as to seeing Mr. Macdonald at the post office; he would have to refresh his memory, he said.

He said he looked to see if Mr. Macdonald recognized him, but there was no recognition, and witness did not speak. Asked for a reason, he said he did not want to press his acquaintance. He mentioned the matter to Simpson the day in June that Mr. Macdonald gave evidence.

Mr. Moresby—Why didn't you inform the proper authorities as to what you knew?

I didn't desire to get mixed up in the case. I looked up and said "Macdonald is lying."

And Simpson, running a Conservative paper, didn't think it worth mentioning in print?

He didn't want to get mixed up with the case either.

Why did you tell Harding?

We were discussing the case and I told him in confidence and described it; told him in confidence as two men working together.

I supposed Harding abused that confidence, and that is why you are here?

When did Harding abuse that confidence?

Monday evening of this week.

Is that your idea of citizenship, that you should keep your mouth closed when a man's liberty is in jeopardy?

No.

Did you realize, from the start the morning of your evidence?

I did.

And you stood back and said nothing?

I did.

Is that your idea of citizenship?

No.

What is the explanation?

I had personal reasons for it. I did not desire to become mixed up in the case.

What reasons?

In the first place, the circumstances under which I left Cranbrook, and the next place friendship for Mr. Macdonald.

How did you leave Cranbrook?

Financial trouble.

Why should this cause you to have these queer ideas?

I left under a cloud and have since been trying to make good and came here away from the place.

What was the nature of the trouble?

I was in charge of Mr. Simpson's business and got behind in my accounts.

The court—Did Simpson prosecute you?

No.

Did he threaten to?

No.

Mr. Moresby—What was the friendship to Macdonald that influenced you?

Ordinary friendship of people doing business in the town together.

Was the statement made to Simpson under the bond of confidence?

No.

Now, then, did he, and a newspaper man, not make use of the information?

Didn't want to be mixed up with it.

The witness could give no better reason for his failure to intervene during the first trial than these he had given. He admitted that it might have been a selfish reason to want to avoid any publicity for his financial troubles by getting mixed up in this.

Billings said he did not see Mr. Macdonald cross the street, but saw him when he came out. Mr. Macdonald was walking with his eyes raised. The witness recalled the conversation with the barber which shaved him, but had to admit that his recollection was based on this particular barber having only one subject of conversation.

He could give no reason for its taking him about an hour to get from the Prince George to the post office. On the way he met a couple of printers, but he had no memory of the conversation which took place, nor could he tell the names nor give a description of the men. He thought he would recognize them, he said, but he could not tell what they looked like. Questioned about his acquaintance with Mr. Macdonald it did not appear to amount to much, and in any case he left Cranbrook in December, 1908, and had not seen Mr. Macdonald since.

Mr. Moresby—How did you recognize him?

I would say it looked like the same man.

You went on general appearance but did not pay any attention to how he was dressed, which would be the first thing anyone would notice?

It looked like the same man I met.

In reply to the court, the witness admitted being in the city at the time of the preliminary investigation in the police court.

Billings informed the court that he was informed in Kamloops by the provincial constable that there was a subpoena for him and transportation to Victoria, and on arrival here yesterday afternoon he reported by instruction to the superintendent of provincial police. He was then taken to see Mr. Taylor, counsel for the prisoner.

The court questioned the witness as to the time of going for the mail and was told he went himself in the evening for mail that came in on the late train.

His lordship had had inquiry made as to the time of arrival of mails in April. The C. P. R. supplied the information that the mail came in then at 7 a.m. and 3 p.m. On April 25 the Princess Alice arrived at 6:45 a.m. and the Princess Alice at 2:50 p.m.

Gosden said he was born in Surrey, England, which he first left twenty years ago and for the last time twelve

years ago. He has been living in British Columbia intermittently for about nine years, and last winter worked here on scavenging, snow cleaning and sewer excavation, and well-digging for Mr. Fullerton and others at Gordon Head.

Mr. Taylor—What is your occupation?

I don't follow any regular occupation. I have several trades.

In the by-election in Vancouver, in February he was working under John T. Scott, who, he later found, had some sort of an official position "and he is in British Columbia yet." Witness did canvassing chiefly with "Brookly" Phil Robertson associated with him. Scott wanted lists of the longshoremen first. He and Robertson were to be paid \$20 a week each and a bonus of \$100 each in the event of Mr. Macdonald being elected, and any money needed in the carrying out of any operations of which we were ordered." In the two weeks prior to election day the two of them between them had approximately \$800.

Mr. Taylor—How was it used?

Some paid for men to canvass, other to get out lists and other given away as Phil testified and as I here testify.

Given away to whom?

Men who were going to vote.

Gosden told the court that after the election he went to Scott's office to collect his bonus and found Ashworth, Anderson and D. E. McTaggart, members of the Liberal executive, ruling a row. There was an investigation later about the lists he had prepared, and at this all the Liberal executive were present at one time or another. There was owing to each of them, as they figured it out, \$135, and in addition to seeing Scott they came over here a couple of weeks before Easter at Scott's suggestion to see Mr. Macdonald, and he went to see the latter himself on Easter Monday night.

The reason he went to see Mr. Macdonald that night was because "Phil was so easy as to let Macdonald tear up our only statement of wages," and made out by Scott. He said he had spoken to Mr. Macdonald for the purpose of discovering whether Scott was playing false; whether Scott had been given money to pay them and had "blown it in" or it was a case of waiting until there was money in the treasury.

As a result of the talk, Gosden swore, he agreed to take \$100 apiece in full payment and when he remarked he was "bust" Mr. Macdonald offered to give him \$100 between them if he came over to Victoria next day and met him at the post office.

That night he dressed up in borrowed clothes because, as he said: "I didn't want to appear disreputable in Victoria streets," and came over here. He spent the day idly about the city, had his lunch paid for by Spencer Howland, went up to Jim Hawthornthwaite's office—"I always go in and argue a point with him if I get a chance"—remained there for an hour and a half or two hours, and finished up the afternoon on a bench in Pioneer park.

On his way to the post office, he said, he met Harry Sibbald, a book peddler, and had some difficulty in getting rid of him. Then he met Mr. Macdonald and had a talk with him. Mr. Macdonald explained that on account of having thought the previous day Sunday instead of a bank holiday he had not drawn any money from the bank, and he asked witness to get in touch with him by telephone about a quarter to nine that evening. Walking up Government street he met Tony Silvenec and went to the St. James hotel. From Silvenec's room he telephoned to the Empress and made an appointment with Mr. Macdonald to meet again at the post office at 9 o'clock.

"I stated before it was 'close to nine o'clock when I rung up," said the accused, "but from what others have stated it could not be later than half-past eight, probably twenty minutes after eight; maybe a little later or earlier; I would not swear; I would not want to tell a lie."

This afternoon the direct examination of the accused concluded and the cross-examination began.

IS ALLEGED TO BE IMPLICATED IN RIOT

Man in Custody Supposed to Have Been Present at Everett Outbreak

A man, Alfred Roper by name, appeared in the dock at the police court this morning, charged with vagrancy. He is suspected to be a member of the I. W. W. party who came into collision with the citizens' committee at Everett on Sunday, with fatal results.

The case was not proceeded with, a remand for 24 hours being asked by the city prosecutor in order to make inquiries.

It appears, according to the police information, that the accused arrived from Everett on the Sol Duc yesterday morning, that suspicion drew attention to him as possessing a revolver. Constables Gates and Munro found him on Yates street, "sandwiched him till they could examine his hip pockets in safety, but did not find any revolver. If the information upon which they were acting was correct, the weapon had been got rid of in the interval.

Roper says he came from Seattle, and had only been in town a few hours when run in.

Briggs—"That was a great dance. I hope I made an impression on that girl." Griggs—"I guess you did. She has been limping ever since."

SCOTT'S CONFESSION NOT HEARD TO-DAY

Vancouver Magistrate Decided
Against Hearing It in Ac-
cused's Absence.

SAID HE WAS READY TO ISSUE WARRANT

Vancouver, Nov. 9.—According to a decision handed down this forenoon in police court by Magistrate Shaw, the confession by John T. Scott can not be submitted as evidence in a court of law until the accused has been arrested and brought before a court of competent jurisdiction.

The case had been allowed to stand adjourned from last Saturday to enable the magistrate to take into consideration the question whether he would allow the prosecution to put the confession in through Jos. Martin, K. C., who was to appear for Scott; but who then repudiated any connection with the case, stating at the same time that he was there on Scott's instructions to see that he got protection in the event of his being a crown witness against some of the higher-ups that he had named.

W. E. Burns, who appeared to prosecute, attempted to show on Saturday that the court had the power under the section of the act under which the case was proposed to be tried to hear the confession as submitted from the witness stand by Mr. Martin. Later in the argument the magistrate stated that the matter was of too serious a character to be treated lightly, and he therefore adjourned the case until to-day, when he gave his decision against hearing the confession, or in fact against hearing the case at all until the apprehension of Scott and his appearance in the court.

His Reasons
"I adjourned this last Saturday," said his worship, "in order to determine just what my duty was and what discretion I had in the matter—whether I was forced to go on or whether I should exercise that discretion. I have come to the conclusion that I have the right to exercise my discretion and perhaps I had better shortly give my reasons for declining to hear the case at the present time."

"In the first place," he continued, "it does seem to be rather something of a farce, my solemnly sitting here and eventually deciding, we will suppose, if the accused should be convicted, that imprisonment would properly be part of the sentence—I say it does seem to be rather farcical to sit here and solemnly take evidence and order a man to be committed to prison knowing full well the whole time that I have absolutely no power to send him to jail. He is not here and I say it would be a farce."

"In the next place, so far as this alleged confession is concerned, there are two or three weighty reasons why I should not hear it. I suppose I have the natural curiosity to know what is in it as anyone else, but I propose to slink my curiosity to what I conceive to be my duty. It was very plainly intimated that in this confession some who have been called the higher-ups are implicated—I think it would be an exceedingly dangerous, not to say unjust, practice to allow any man to come into court and implicate men, whether innocent or guilty, who are not before me, without any chance of defending themselves and who are even prevented from trying to clear their names by the protection which the court is supposed to give."

Not Be Allowed.
"This information, for what it is worth, is in the hands of several persons now. It would not be evidence against the men implicated even if I allowed it and I can not conceive of anything more unjust than to allow a man's name to be mentioned, whether he is innocent or guilty, without giving him some opportunity of defending himself. It is a practice that I do not propose to allow."

Lastly, this confession seems to me to be inadmissible, even against Scott

himself. It was very plainly intimated that the confession was made by reason of a promise, or something in the nature of a promise, that Scott himself should not be proceeded against if he would be used as a crown witness against those he wished to implicate. If that be so, it is clearly an instance of a departure from a rule that I do not think anybody ever doubted. In the language of the code the defendant would obtain through hope of favor and therefore it is inadmissible against himself.

"So, for all those reasons I decline in the exercise of my discretion to proceed with the case in the absence of the defendant."

"I will issue any warrant I am empowered to issue to have the defendant brought here, but I will not proceed with the case to-day. It will simply have to stand adjourned until the defendant is arrested."

In reply to W. E. Burns, who appeared to prosecute, as to the admissibility of the confession and the decision that was to be rendered to-day, his worship said he had taken the point last Saturday that it was a question whether he could go on in the absence of the defendant or not.

Nothing to Be Gained.

"There is nothing to be gained," he said, "by going on in his absence. As I conceive, it would be my clear duty at the very moment that this alleged confession, mentioned anyone's name to refuse to allow it to be given. Even if you have evidence enough without that to convict Scott I would have to hold that the confession is inadmissible against him, and even if you had evidence enough to convict Scott without that it is too utterly ridiculous for me to sit here and pretend to send Scott to jail for six or nine or twelve months, knowing full well that I can not send him to jail. I think it is a very unfair position to put me in. It is making an absurdity of the police court."

"There is a definite decision in the case that covers the situation," said Mr. Burns. "What I purposed doing was to go according to the code, and the circumstances are covered by the code. As a matter of fact I thought it was a misunderstanding between the court and myself. I purpose, however, going on with other evidence for the prosecution."

"I have given what seem to me to be very cogent reasons for not going on," said the magistrate.

Mr. Burns pointed out that Section 41 of the act was identical with the wording of the code and it was absolutely clear to him that it met such a situation as that was. He had other reasons for going on also.

Not Ex Parte.

"I propose to follow the latter part of the section," said the magistrate. "I may proceed ex parte, or a justice may, if he think fit, issue a warrant and adjourn the hearing until the defendant is apprehended. That is what I am doing. I will not proceed ex parte, because I do not think it was ever intended in a serious case like this that I should go on and stuff myself and the court by pretending I was going to send a man to jail when I know full well I cannot. I do not think it is fair."

"The sentence would be executed if the man were apprehended," said Mr. Burns.

"I am not going to allow myself or the court to take a position that is ridiculous or unfair," said Magistrate Shaw in reply.

"I have not tried to place you in an unfair position," said Mr. Burns. "I am not making any accusation against you," was the magistrate's answer to this. "I am not insinuating that anybody is guilty of anything—even Scott. Until the time comes when he is charged before me, but I must positively decline to proceed ex parte, and will issue whatever warrant I have the power to issue."

PLANS AT DUNCAN FOR VICTORIA EXCURSION

Duncan, Nov. 9.—Between 85 and 90 men from Victoria are expected in Duncan on Thursday next from 12:30 to 4:30, at the invitation of the Board of Trade. Luncheon will be arranged at the Quamichan hotel. Messrs. Silencio, W. Paterson, O. T. Smith and J. I. Mutter are a committee to collect the men and exhibit of local products for the visitors.

The visitors then will go to inspect island points farther north. On Friday evening they will stop off on their return trip for dinner.

WILSON LEADS BY 1,000 IN CALIFORNIA

Hughes Leads in New Mexico;
Fraud Charged in San Francisco

San Francisco, Nov. 9.—Figures from 5,876 precincts out of 5,879 in California give Hughes 458,154, and Wilson 460,975. This is a jump of over 1,000 for Wilson, most of which came from Siskiyou, a mountain county sparsely represented.

New York, Nov. 9.—Frederick B. Lynch, Democratic state chairman of Minnesota, telegraphed to Chairman McCormick shortly before 5 o'clock that the count in North Dakota was complete and that Wilson had carried that state by 324 votes. He said that he had relayed the message from the North Dakota state chairman, Lynch, added that Minnesota would go for Wilson by 509.

Santa Fe, N. M., Nov. 9.—Figures from 422 out of 633 precincts in New Mexico give Hughes 23,482 and Wilson 22,702.

San Francisco, Nov. 9.—Allegations of amazing election fraud in the wet and dry fight in San Francisco were made here to-day by Franklin Hichborn, publicity manager for the anti-saloon league. If they are substantiated, Hichborn declares, not only will the entire "wet" and "dry" vote of the state be jeopardized, but the national election also will be affected.

Indianapolis, Nov. 9.—Revised returns from 2,958 precincts out of 3,143 in Indiana decreased Hughes's plurality over Wilson in this state by 6,487. The vote was: Hughes, 321,993; Wilson, 315,556. This leaves 190 precincts still to report.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 9.—Complete unofficial returns from all districts in Delaware show that Hughes carried the state by a plurality of 1,736. The vote was as follows: Hughes, 27,900; Wilson, 25,111.

St. Paul, Nov. 9.—Returns from 2,351 precincts out of 3,025 in Minnesota give Wilson 173,360, and Hughes 174,911. Hughes's lead being 961.

San Francisco, Nov. 9.—The possibility of a split in the electoral vote is not at all remote in California, and especially is it made likely this election because of the scratching of A. J. Wallace, Republican presidential elector, by the radical wets, because Wallace is one of the foremost drys.

For instance, should Hughes carry California there is a possibility of Wilson taking one vote from the state to the electoral college.

In California presidential electors are voted in party groups, each having 13. When the ballots are canvassed the 12 presidential electors receiving the highest totals are declared elected and are certified by the secretary of state. The voter may cast his ballot for any party group as a whole, or he may vote for electors in all the parties, so long as he does not vote for more than 12.

LIEUT.-COL. N. STEPHEN, OF HALIFAX, KNIGHTED

Halifax, Nov. 9.—The London Court Circular announces that King George has conferred the Order of St. Michael and St. George on Lieut.-Col. N. Stephen, a son of ex-Mayor Alexander and Mrs. Stephen, of Halifax. Lieut.-Col. Stephen was chief ordnance stores officer at the Dardanelles and was mentioned by Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton for promotion and honor for distinguished services.

STANDING IN CONGRESS OF UNITED STATES

New York, Nov. 9.—Returns on the election for members of congress received up to 1 o'clock to-day showed 212 Democrats and 90 Republicans elected, with 10 districts not yet accounted for.

Seven of these 10 districts are Democratic, the present congress and nine are Republican. Should each keep its present political affiliation, the count would stand: Democrats, 212; Republicans, 212. This would give the Democrats a majority of three over the 212 Republicans and four representatives of other parties in the House.

GERMAN GOVERNMENT'S TONE IS CHANGING NOW

Berlin, Nov. 9.—Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg announced to-day that after the end of the war Germany will co-operate in an endeavor to find a practical means for procuring a lasting peace by means of an international league.

BRITISH STEAMSHIP SUNK; CREW LANDED

London, Nov. 9.—The steamship Suffolk Coast, of Liverpool, of 780 tons gross, has been sunk. The crew was landed.

GERMAN CLAIMS.

Berlin, Nov. 9.—Russian troops which have invaded Hungary on the northern Transylvanian front, in the Goergens mountains, were repulsed yesterday, the war office announces.

In Roumania, near Rottenturn Pass, Austro-German forces captured hill positions.

Teacher—"Man is a human machine." Little Willie (excitedly)—"Yes; my father's a thrashing machine." The Christian Herald.

DEMOCRATS MAY LOSE ONE IN WASHINGTON

In Some Counties Voters
Marked Ballots for a
Dead Elector

New York, Nov. 9.—Chairman McCormick said to-day he would investigate reports received at Democratic headquarters that the Republicans in Washington state may get one of the Democratic electoral votes on the ground that votes cast for one of the Democratic electors, who had died, were invalid.

According to the reports, the name E. M. Conner, that of the Democratic elector who was substituted for A. Stream, the dead elector, did not appear on the ballot in many counties, and it was stated that therefore the votes cast for Stream might be invalid, the difference giving a plurality for one Republican elector.

"We will investigate the matter," said Chairman McCormick, "but even if we are forced to concede the vote, I am not worried by the loss of one electoral vote."

TRYING TO SEND COMPLETE UNITS

But Organization of Divisions
Determining Factor, Hughes
Says at Toronto

Toronto, Nov. 9.—Lieut.-Col. Wm. C. Craig and officers of the 194th Highland Battalion, of Edmonton, who are spending some days here, were banqueting last night by the city of Toronto. Among the guests were Lieut.-Gen. Sir Sam Hughes, Premier Hearst and Maj.-Gen. Logie and his staff.

Sir Sam Hughes congratulated the 194th Battalion on its record. He spoke of the organization of the various divisions of the Canadian army in France, and stated:

"You officers must get to Europe and take your chances whether you go into the battle line as a unit or not. We will do our best, but the divisions must be properly organized. We were just completing the organization of the 4th Canadian Division when the Zillebeke affair happened and that division melted away. We then moved to the Somme front and more hard fighting used up our newly-formed 6th Division. So you will see the difficulties presented in our efforts to send complete units to the front."

IMPORTANT POINT IN ITALIAN HANDS

Loss of Falt Heyb, Which
Dominates Castagnavizza,
Blow to Austrians

London, Nov. 9.—A correspondent of the Times at Italian headquarters telegraphed under Tuesday's date, the message being received to-day:

"The operations on Friday in the drive on Trieste, though less spectacular than those of the previous two days, were of tactical importance because of the occupation of the lower hills between the Wippach river and the northern rampart of the Carso plateau. It extended to cover a front of more than three miles and the key position of Falt Heyb was strengthened against counter-attacks. In losing Falt Heyb the Austrians lost the key position to the line in this sector. An Austrian colonel taken prisoner in the September offensive, said nothing mattered so long as Falt Heyb held."

Its loss was certainly serious to the enemy. The point dominates Castagnavizza, on the Carso plateau, and its network of roads and the main road from Ranslan to the Carso positions. Possibilities even more important than the actual achievement suggest themselves at this intensely interesting moment.

"Meanwhile, however, the weather has broken and rain is falling heavily."

ONE OF PASSENGERS DIED FROM INJURIES

Moose Jaw, Nov. 9.—The Soo Line express train No. 12, which was reported wrecked south of Portal yesterday and which was derailed again at Estevan at 2 P. M. yesterday, arrived in this city at 10 o'clock this forenoon. According to some of the through passengers, the train was derailed when an axle on a passenger coach broke while the train was near Vanderwater, N. D. yesterday morning. The result was that one passenger died from injuries and fifteen other passengers were injured, ten of them so seriously that they had to be removed to a hospital.

The train was got under way after a few hours delay and turned over to the C. P. R. at Portal, and while passing over the diamond of the C. N. R. two miles north of Estevan, the engine, tender, mail car and first class coach were derailed through some unknown cause. No injuries resulted. A full inquiry into the wreck at Estevan will be conducted, according to a statement from the general offices of the C. P. R. here.

ROUMANIA TRIED; NOT FOUND WANTING

Armies Prevailed Against Aus-
tro-Germans Because of Un-
surpassed Heroism

GRAVEST CRISIS PAST, SAYS STANLEY WASHBURN

London, Nov. 9.—"There is one thing certain—our new ally is receiving all possible support from her nearest neighbors and others of the allies in materials and men," writes Stanley Washburn from the Roumanian front in a special dispatch to the Times dated November 7.

"The past ten days in Roumania represent a period in which the nation has been tried in the fires and not found wanting," he continues. "The historians of Roumania will point to the defence of the mountain passes as the epic of a small country."

"The heroism of these peasant soldiers has not been surpassed either by the Serbians or the Belgians. During their retirement to their frontier the Roumanians turned at frequent intervals to attack the enemy with the bayonet, and reaching the mountain still is going on, but has reached a stage past the gravest crisis."

Stubborn Determination.
"The Roumanian soldiers stood heroically during the crisis when Roumania was set upon from all sides. The king, the ministers and the higher generals displayed a stubborn determination to see the issue through regardless of the apparent dangers."

"The coming of the heavy rains was providential. It is probable that what the enemy has accomplished hitherto he can not accomplish now. I can not see how the enemy can get through the mountains with his heavy artillery, and without it the Roumanians need fear nothing."

The downpour of rain has turned the river beds into a morass. The king, the ministers and the higher generals displayed a stubborn determination to see the issue through regardless of the apparent dangers.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF NOVA SCOTIA ILL

Halifax, Nov. 9.—Lieut.-Governor David MacKenzie is seriously ill at his residence here. He suffered a stroke of paralysis.

GERMAN STATEMENT.

Berlin, Nov. 9.—German artillery yesterday defeated several efforts of French and British troops, to make advances on the Somme front, the war office announced to-day.

SALE OF WHEAT AT \$2 AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Nov. 9.—Wheat touched \$2 November closed 40c higher, December closed 45c higher, and May closed 50c higher. Oats were very strong, with a gain of 2c in Dec. and 2c in May. Barley gained 2c. Flax was 4c up for Nov.; 4c better for Dec. and 4c higher for May.

Two-dollar wheat became a reality when a local firm bought from a brokerage firm 5,000 bushels of November wheat at that price. From the opening wheat looked strong, chiefly on reports of big export business during the week. There was only one trade at \$2 recorded and it brought out a rush of realizing sales, but wheat never looked weak. The buying was of an excellent character during the day and the volume of trade was heavy.

Most of the speculative interest still believe in higher prices. The cash market was completely demoralized by the future prices. Some of the lower grades showed enormous losses in the spreads. No. 1 sold at 4c over November during the day, but when the high mark was touched wheat was hard either to buy or sell. Oats was in good demand. Barley was strong and flax fair.

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NEW YORK CURE PRICES (By Wise & Co.)

Ariz. Copper Fields 14 1/2
Can. Copper 14 1/2
Crown Reserve 14 1/2
Em. Phone 14 1/2
Goldfield 14 1/2
Hecla 14 1/2
Hedley Gold 14 1/2
Hollinger 14 1/2
Kerr Lake 14 1/2
Kerr Lake 14 1/2
Jerome Verde 14 1/2
Big Ledge 14 1/2
Inspiration Needles 14 1/2
La Rose 14 1/2
Magma 14 1/2
Mines of Ama 14 1/2
Nipissing 14 1/2
Standard Lead 14 1/2
Stewart 14 1/2
Success 14 1/2
Tonahill 14 1/2
Tonahill 14 1/2
Yukon 14 1/2
United Verde 14 1/2
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Mason Valley 14 1/2

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FINANCIAL NEWS

MONTREAL STOCKS

(By Burdick Brothers, Limited.)
Montreal, Nov. 9.—Trading in the local market to-day was not so active as it was yesterday, but prices were generally firm with some gains over the previous closing levels. The steel group was quite strong all day. Steel of Canada preferred selling at 100. There was an excellent demand for Dominion Iron above 75. Canada Cement common and Civic Investment came out in large blocks, the former advancing a point and closing practically at its high point of the day. There was some activity in the unlisted department, Brompton selling at 70, and Asbestos common at 23. The close was very firm in cement and the steel group.

12-POINT GAIN BY CENTRAL LEATHER

American Locomotive Gained
Four, Allis-Chalmers Five,
at New York

New York, Nov. 9.—The market opened around yesterday's close, and during the day trading became very active in certain stocks. Central Leather made a gain of 12 points, selling at 119. American Locomotive gained 4 points and Allis-Chalmers 5 points. United States Steel was firm without much change, selling around the 121 level. The copper stocks were quiet, with little change. The rails were neglected.

Ames Holden, com. 24 1/2
Do, pref. 45 1/2
Bell Telephone 118 1/2
Brazilian Traction 49 1/2
C. P. R. 153 1/2
Can. Locomotive 104 1/2
Can. Cottons 63 1/2
Can. Gen. Elec. 121 1/2
Cons. Smelters 491 1/2
Civic Inv. & Ind. 82 1/2
B. C. Fish 58 1/2
Can. Cement, com. 92 1/2
Do, pref. 92 1/2
Can. Car. Fdy., com. 42 1/2
Do, pref. 75 1/2
Can. S. S. com. 37 1/2
Do, pref. 30 1/2
Detroit United 117 1/2
Dom. Bridge 210 1/2
Dom. Canners 13 1/2
Dom. L. & S. 72 1/2
Dom. Textile 87 1/2
Loyal Const. Co. 83 1/2
Laurentide 215 1/2
Laurentide Power 112 1/2
Lake of Woods Mfg. Co. 132 1/2
Maple Leaf Milling 117 1/2
MacDonald Co. 17 1/2
Montreal Tram 39 1/2
Montreal Cottons 61 1/2
Clordan Paper Co. 14 1/2
Ont. Steel Prods. 45 1/2
Ogilvie Milling Co. 145 1/2
Ottawa Power 55 1/2
Pennam, Ltd. 75 1/2
Quebec Railway 41 1/2
Quebec Paper Co. 124 1/2
Shawinigan 134 1/2
Steel of Can., com. 77 1/2
Do, pref. 100 1/2
Spanish River Pulp 23 1/2
Do, pref. 60 1/2
Toronto 92 1/2
Twin City Elec. 96 1/2
Winnipeg Elec. 92 1/2
Wayagamac Pulp 100 1/2
Dom. War Loan (old) 288 1/2
Dom. War Loan (new) 294 1/2

DECEMBER WHEAT MADE GAIN TO-DAY AT CHICAGO

(By Wise & Co.)
Chicago, Nov. 9.—The wheat market opened at yesterday's close and acted with a firm tone during the day. December wheat sold at 190, making a gain of 2c. Oats were stronger and oats firm. At Rosario wheat was 1 to 1 up. Corn 2 cents higher, oats 2 1/2 up. Broom-corn called that the Dutch government has commandeered the entire harvest in Holland and fixed prices—equal to 5 shillings for 64 pounds.

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METAL MARKET.

New York, Nov. 9.—Lead, \$7.07 1/2; spot strong; spot, East St. Louis delivery, 106 1/2. At London: Lead, £20 10s; spot, £24 5s. Copper firm; electrolytic, first quarter, \$29.80; second quarter, \$29.80; third quarter, \$29.80; fourth quarter, \$29.80. Tin: spot, \$27.60; futures, \$27.60. Spot copper, \$24 1/2; futures, \$24 1/2. Electrolytic, \$21 1/2; spot tin, \$21 1/2. Futures, \$21 1/2.

NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, Nov. 9.—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal, 86.5; molasses, 85.30. Refined sugar steady; fine granulated, \$7.50; 100 lb. bag, \$7.50.

WINNIPEG BANK CLEARINGS.

Winnipeg, Nov. 9.—The bank clearings here for the week ended to-day were \$58,915,907. For the corresponding week last year the clearings were \$58,446,299, and \$37,868,164 in 1914.

Haynes Repairs Jewelry satisfactorily and reasonably.

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

Blackbird Syndicate 17.00 22.00
Can. Copper Co. 1.50 2.00
Can. Cons. S. & R. 41.00 43.00
Coronation Gold 12.00 13.00
Granby 22.00 24.00
Int. Coal & Coke Co. 25 1/2
Lucky Jim Zinc 284 1/2
McGillivray Coal 11 1/2
P. C. Tunnels 22 1/2
Portland Canal 22 1/2
Standard Cariboo 161 1/2
Standard Lead 1.25 1.50
Snowstorm 42 1/2
Stewart M. & D. 75
Stewart Star 21 1/2
Stewart Land 7.00

Glacier Creek 84
Island Investment 20.00
Union Club Deb. new 40.00
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JEWISH RELIEF FUND IMPLEQUES SUPPORT

"Tag Day" To-morrow is to Help Starved and Homeless War Sufferers of Poland

To-morrow the Victoria Russian-Poland Jewish Relief Society will ask the people of Victoria to subscribe to the cause in behalf of which they are holding a "Tag Day."

"The position of sufferers in the eastern war zone is still very serious, and winter will add to existing distress. Sincerely trust you will continue your support; deeply appreciate all you have done and are doing."

This is the text of a cablegram received from the Jewish Relief headquarters at Montreal. Canada has already contributed \$110,000 to this fund. Victoria has given \$2,250 of this amount. The United States has been liberal in a gift of \$4,000,000, a sum which under normal conditions would be regarded as very big. When it is considered, however, that it amounts to no more than a dollar for each Jew residing within the war zone, it will be seen that the contribution is, measured by the extent of the calamity, absolutely inadequate to relieve the misery.

"Regarding the condition of our poor and unfortunate co-religionists in the war zone, I might tell you that from information recently received conditions are most appalling and critical; apart from the scarcity of food supplies—which is bad enough—the most serious condition is the want of wearing apparel and footwear, which are almost unobtainable," writes Isaac Friedman, one of the vice-presidents of the Canadian Jewish committee at Montreal.

"One other bad feature that has lately presented itself in the war zone is owing to the extremely bad accommodation for the sufferers, parents are forsaking their children, thus placing the responsibility and charge on the shoulders of the already heavily burdened committees. In order to avoid a recurrence of last winter's sad page of history every effort must be made to succor these suffering people who are now crying for help. The northern countries in Europe experience a winter similar to what we have in eastern Canada, and we therefore know what the blast of the winter winds means. If we could only realize how much more suffering a human being passes through having been deprived of his home, his comforts, and his food, we would realize conditions. It therefore behoves everyone of us to render these poor unfortunate sufferers such assistance as lies within our power."

Before the war broke out there were about seven million Jews in Russian Poland, living peacefully, following their various trades and vocations. About 600,000 Jewish men of military age joined the Russian colors on the outbreak of the war, leaving behind them their wives, mothers and children. Poland became a big battlefield early in the war. The civilian population was immediately sent back of the line. At the beginning the Russians were successful, withstanding the attack of the central powers and invading Austria, but the tide of the battle soon turned and again the Germans turned their howitzers on Poland and brought destruction and devastation on the entire country. Cities fell into the Teutonic hands. The retreating army first set fire to them, however, and so the entire Russian Poland was left a ruin. Winter coming on left the civilian population without homes or shelter. The Jewish population, not allowed outside the pale, were compelled to live in the woods. Children at bark of trees for want of food. Mothers with babes in their arms died for lack of food and shelter. Officers reported that the woods were literally strewn with the dead bodies of women and children who died for want of nourishment and clothing. Still nothing could be done for their relief.

The Russian government, engaged in the affairs of war, cannot take the matter up. The Germans, themselves without an over-surplus provisions, do not feel like feeding Russian subjects. Last winter it is estimated there

were at least 100,000 deaths directly due to starvation and privation. There are as many Jewish men fighting for the allies as the combined armies of Roumania and Belgium. Altogether there are 810,000 Jewish soldiers fighting for the allies: 600,000 in Russia, 40,000 in England, 70,000 in Roumania, 60,000 in France, 50,000 in Italy, 20,000 each in Belgium and Serbia, and 10,000 in Montenegro. They have fought gallantly, and have won distinction and promotion on the field. And their families are wandering homeless and shivering and starved through a desolate war-scarred land. It is a picture which should move every human heart to generosity.

The money which is to be collected to-morrow in Victoria will be sent to the Jewish Relief committee in Montreal, thence to Baron Rothschild and Lord Swathling, the administrators of the fund in England. They in turn will forward the collection to the Rothschild Bank, Petrograd. There a Jewish committee is looking after the administration of the fund and the distribution of food, clothing and help to the sufferers is administered from that central point.

Bantams Parading. Lieut.-Col. Bruce-Powley has very kindly offered his Bantams' band, which will parade through some of the downtown streets to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A list of the various district collecting headquarters will be found in Wednesday's Times. "Peter," Mrs. Duce's champion canine tagger, will tag on Friday in front of David Spencer's, corner of View and Broad streets, for the benefit of the Russian-Poland Jewish Relief Society.

USE OF BALLROOMS FOR GATHERINGS

City Officials Insist on Same Law Applying as to Theatres

"All sittings in such buildings as are referred to in the next preceding section (that dealing with public places of resort) shall be firmly secured to the floor, and there shall be allowed for each person a sitting space of 18 inches in width, and there shall be an allowance of one inch on each side of such sitting space. There shall not be more than 12 sittings in one row in a block, and where there are more than six sittings in any row, there shall be an aisle on each side of such row."

This is the section of the building by-law of 1912 which has suddenly caused considerable trouble in certain circles, because the city officials decline to discriminate between ordinary board floors of public halls, schools, etc., and the handsome ballrooms of the Empress hotel and Alexandra club. The intimation which has been sent to the latter places has caused something of a flutter, and not unnaturally. The manager of the Empress hotel, it was stated to-day, will have a letter in on the matter to the next meeting of the council, while the fire chief intends to put it up to the council whether the law is to be enforced or amended.

Apparently it was not contemplated that ballrooms where prominent citizens spend their evenings would be used for meetings and thereby come within the definition of the measure. Both premises named are the centres for musical and social functions at which the audience is seated, in just the same way as at a theatre, the chairs being easily arranged, or removed when the floor is needed for dances.

As reported in another column the school trustees' refusal to damage the floors of some of the fine auditoriums of the newer schools by spiking down the chairs, but are willing to have them joined together in six or twelve.

"Why did you pick out that fellow to marry, girl? Nobody can see anything in him." "I discovered that the mosquitoes always bite him when we are out together. I consider him a handy man to have around."—KANSAS CITY JOURNAL.

Hudson's Bay "Imperial" Lager Beer, 12 pints, \$1.00 per dozen.

MORE LOCAL NAMES IN CASUALTY LIST

Pte. Samuel Minnis, of 102rd Battalion, Killed in Action

A telegram received by Mrs. Minnis, of 1228 Oak Bay avenue, conveys the news that her husband, Pte. Samuel Minnis, a member of the 102nd Battalion, was killed in action on October 21. Pte. Minnis was born in Liverpool, England. For many years prior to coming to this country he was manager of the Galvanizing Works of the Bowesfield Steel Company, Stockton-on-Tees. He had been in Prince Rupert for about two years prior to enlisting with Lieut.-Col. Warden's battalion, which left Comox for the Old Country in the early part of the summer. He was a member of No. 2 company. A son, Pte. Gerald Minnis, formerly of the 102nd Battalion, was with him when he was killed. Pte. Minnis was a very brave and popular man, and was much loved by his comrades. He was a native of Liverpool, and was a member of the 102nd Battalion. He was killed in action on October 21.

Mrs. S. Patterson, of 164 Hillside avenue, yesterday received a telegram reporting that her son, Pte. Henry Maxwell Patterson, had been wounded on October 11. Pte. Patterson, who is 30 years of age, is a native son and previous to enlisting was employed as a boom man, having worked for some time at Sayward's mill. He joined the 88th Battalion a year ago and left here with that unit, transferring to another battalion after reaching England. He had been in the trenches about a month when he was wounded. Pte. Patterson has a brother, Pte. W. J. Patterson, with the 47th, and another brother, R. J., who is employed in the Pemberton building. He has two sisters in Seattle.

Sidney Asser, of Newport avenue, Oak Bay, has received a cable from his brother, Captain Asser, who left here with the 30th Battalion, saying that he has had his leg amputated and is progressing satisfactorily. About two weeks ago a cable was received to the effect that he was dangerously wounded. No details are given, neither is it known just where he is, although it is thought he is in France.

AUTO ASSOCIATION

W. A. McAdam Elected Vice-President for Cowichan District.

At the regular meeting of the Victoria Automobile Association held in the Empress hotel last night, Alderman A. E. Todd presiding, W. A. McAdam, secretary of the Duncan Board of Trade, was elected vice-president of the club representing Cowichan district, and the following were added to the board of governors: Dr. Tomalin and Messrs. W. D. Hinchbury, G. D. Christie, Holman and Caplan.

Steps were taken to further the Canadian highway project, and letters were read from a number of people at Ottawa and in other parts of the country endorsing the scheme.

There is a most curious account of a community of Abyssinian Christian monks in Curzon's "Monasteries in the Levant." The writer came across them, in 1837, during his wandering in search of manuscripts in the Desert of Nitria. "These holy brethren," he wrote, "were as black as crows; tall, thin, ascetic-looking men, of a most original aspect and costume. . . . They seemed to be men who fasted much and feasted little; great observers were they of vigils, of penances, of pilgrimages and midnight masses; eaters of bitter herbs for conscience sake." The evidence of language and tradition certainly points to a Semitic origin. The Abyssinian scribe has to wrestle with an alphabet containing 208 letters, and, as they had no cursive writing, each letter is written distinctly and separately, like the letters of a European printed book."—London Chronicle.

Mr. John Hodge, M. P., says the workers have to thank the Kaiser for bringing them closer together; it must be gratifying to the Kaiser to get thanks for anything he has done.

VICTORIA AVIATOR WAS IN AIR RAID

Lieut. Beasley Among Those Who Dropped Bombs in Mauser Works

Flight-Lieut. Percy Beasley, of this city, took part in the big aircraft raid by a Franco-British squadron of forty aeroplanes over the Mauser works at Oberndorf, in Wurtemberg, Germany, on October 18. In reporting the event, it will be recalled, the French war office stated that projectiles with a total weight of 4,300 kilograms, or between two and three tons, were dropped and seen to hit the mark. Six German aeroplanes which rose to defend the factories were shot down in actions that took place while three of the allies' machines failed to return. In a letter to a friend in this city, Lieut. Beasley said: "We were over the enemy's country for more than two hours and had to land in the dark on our return. Altogether we were away four and a half hours. Collishaw, a Victoria aviator, had hard luck with his motor when above the Rhine, but by a hard effort he managed to make the aerodrome and land safely. Butterworth, of Vancouver, was forced to land in Germany and is now a prisoner. We also lost two other machines. The shell fire was very severe and at times you could see nothing but a ring of puffs about us. The enemy used high explosives shells and there were as many as eight guns fired at us at once."

The squadron with which Lieut. Beasley is connected is stationed in the east of France from which a number



FLIGHT-LIEUT. BEASLEY

of raids over German munition centres along the Rhine have been carried out during the last year or more. Flight-Lieut. Kenneth Macdonald, also of this city, belongs to the same squadron but was unable to take part in this particular raid owing to an accident to his machine putting it out of commission a short time before.

Oberndorf which was bombarded in the raid of October 18, is a small town in the southwest corner of Wurtemberg, on the River Neckar, about 19 miles north of Stuttgart, which has more than once been attacked by French aeroplanes. The works just bombarded were founded in 1874 by the brothers Mauser, inventors of the rifle which bears their name. In normal times about 2,500 men were generally employed at these works.

The Mauser rifle is an improvement on the old needle gun used by the German army in the war of 1870-1871. The nature of the results obtained by the British and French armies on these incursions into enemy territory is shown by the damage inflicted on Metz. In a letter from that city received by L'Information it is stated that of the handsome railway station of Metz practically nothing is left standing. The rails and girders form a mass of twisted metal.

The district surrounding the station has also suffered severely. The fine stone buildings, richly carved, are in ruins, and the destruction accomplished by bombs was completed by fire. The monumental post office is in ruins, the Boulevard Emperor Frederic is unrecognizable, and the Bavarian barracks has been utterly destroyed. The colossal statue of the Emperor William the First, victor of Sedan, on the Esplanade, has been smashed to fragments.

According to the Dutch newspaper, News of Maastricht, Sergt.-Major Baron, when he flew over Mannheim on the night of September 22, did enormous damage. Some of his bombs fell on one of the principal hangars sheltering a zeppelin of 130 metres in length with eight motors, which was totally destroyed, together with a great quantity of spare parts in aluminium. There was nothing left of the zeppelin but the torn and wrecked framework.

In addition the huge gasometer was blown up. The railway between Mannheim and Niederheim was greatly damaged, and the rails and level crossings over a great distance destroyed. This attack took place at a moment when all work had ceased, but in the aerodrome itself and the vicinity 26 men were killed and 45 injured.

As in the case of Krupp's works, which were bombarded by two French pilots on the following day, Mannheim was closed to all traffic for close on three weeks. The same Journal states that the principal zeppelin nests are situated on various points of the Rhine. At Mannheim there are two zeppelins, 90 metres long, with six motors, and one 130 metres long, with eight motors. At Cologne there are three zeppelins, 90 metres long and one 130 metres long. At Wiesbaden there are two zeppelins, at Dusseldorf three zeppelins and an aerodrome, at Aix-la-Chapelle three zeppelins

lines of 130 metres, with eight motors and one of 90 metres with six motors.

REVISION DATE SET FOR VOTERS' LIST

Larger Number of Names on City Roll for 1917; Business To-morrow

The civic court of revision on the voters' lists will be held next month, the date set being December 11. The mayor and two aldermen, to be appointed by council from the court.

Inquiries to-day show that the roll on this occasion will be larger than at any time previous. The current list has 8,641 names, as against 8,818 last year, and 8,759 in 1915. In spite of the decline in the household and license-hold list, the loss will be more than compensated by the increase in the freeholders. It is estimated that the total this year will exceed 9,000 names.

To-morrow the aldermen will be busy both in the afternoon and evening. The business for the streets committee in the afternoon will consist of a number of routine matters, and a contract will be awarded for the stores building at Garbally road yard, for which there have been received eleven tenders.

In the evening two important meetings are set. The Denman street owners' have been invited to meet the aldermen with regard to reaching an arrangement with reference to this difficult matter. The city-promoted private bill at the last session to redress the admitted grievance of the owners, but owing to a difference of opinion it was withdrawn. A suit has been started by one owner, so that compromise is desired.

The labor representatives have been promised a hearing with regard to organization of civic employees. To the same meeting has been referred the two letters already mentioned with regard to permission to recognize the firemen's association as an affiliated union of the Trades and Labor council. A week ago an official of the Canadian Federation of Labor wrote attacking the Trades council as an organization with American control, to which the latter body replied giving a précis of the objects of the American Federation of Labor to which the Dominion Trades and Labor congress is affiliated, and claiming absolute home rule in Canada. The question of internationalism in unionism is co-existent with organized labor on this continent, and has produced much heated argument.

RETURNS FROM ATLIN

James Lipscombe Tells of Increase in Tourist Travel; Interest in Mining.

James Lipscombe, who has been at Atlin acting as agent for the White Pass & Yukon Railway during the summer, has returned to Victoria for the winter. Mr. Lipscombe says that this year has seen a large increase in tourist travel of the best class to Atlin, among the visitors being many prominent business and professional men from big eastern centres.

To accommodate the large number of travelers that had been expected, the White Pass & Yukon Railway Company erected an excellent hotel, equipped with every convenience, on the shore of Atlin Lake, commanding one of the most beautiful views of the northern districts. Mr. Lipscombe says the tourists who visited that place were so highly pleased with the scenic surroundings that many of them who intended to stay there only a day or two remained for two and three weeks.

Considerable interest is being shown in the mining outlook in Atlin district by outside interests. During the summer a number of engineers representing large American syndicates visited the district and devoted a great deal of attention to quartz properties, especially the Engineer mine, which is owned and operated by Capt. James Alexander. Placer mining has been going on as usual, the output for the year being estimated at \$500,000.

Women began to be playing a less prominent part in the Wilson-Hughes election than in some previous contests for the presidency. Mr. Roosevelt, when he last fought his way to the White House, owed a good deal to his female supporters, some of whom adopted unconventional methods. One lady canvassed Indiana on a milk-white horse, singing and speaking from the saddle; another masqueraded as Joan of Arc; and a third—a Colorado lady—taught a bear to point out with a wand from a block-letter alphabet the letters of her favorite candidate's name. Other ladies started "prayer-chains" to promote Mr. Roosevelt's success.—London Chronicle.

What is a bank? The question, suggested by the scheme to start a British Trade Bank, is not so easy to answer as it might seem. Anyone may call himself a bank, and many persons carry on business as a "bank" who are not bankers in the ordinary sense of the term. There are many queer banks in London, and some with an interesting history, but only two figure in this year's Post Office Directory that were carrying on business previous to the establishment in 1894 of the Bank of England. One is Child and Co's, and the other Charles Hoare and Co's, and both have their offices in Fleet street.—London Chronicle.

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